Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Agar Military Station	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Manpur	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Rajgarh State	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Kurwai „	„	.....	...
		Barwani State	„ & B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Lashkar City	„	.....	...
			TOTAL	32	19
RAJPUTANA AND AJMER-MERWARA.	...	Bharatpur State	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Ajmer City	„	.....	...
		Ajmer District	„	.....	...
		Deoli	„	.....	...
		Ajmer-Merwara District	„	.....	...
		Abu Road	„	.....	...
		Mewar State	„	.....	...
		Partabgarh State	„	.....	...
		Chitor (Udaipur) State	„	.....	...
		Tonk State	„	.....	...
		Marwar State (Jodhpur)	J. B.	.....	...
		Jaipur City	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Jaipur State	„	.....	...
		Kishengarh Town	„	.....	...
		Bikaner State	J. B.	.....	...
		Jhallawar „	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Kotah „	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Sirohi „	„	.....	...
		Shahpura „	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Dholpur	„	.....	...
		Alwar City	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Alwar State	„	.....	...
		Beawar	„	.....	...
		Karauli State	„	.....	...
		Banswara Town	„	.....	...
		Banswara State	„	.....	...
			TOTAL	.....	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu City	N. W.	.....	...
		Jammu District	„	2	...
		Mirpur „	„	.....	...
		Kathua „	„	.....	...
			TOTAL	2	...
				.....	...

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	Abbottabad Town	N. W.	.....	...
		Hazara District	„	.....	...
		Bannu „		.....	...
		Kohat Cantonment	N. W.	.....	...
		Kohat Town	„	.....	...
		Kohat District	„	.....	...
		Dera Ismail Khan Town	„	.....	...
		Dera Ismail Khan Cantonment	„	.....	...
		Dera Ismail Khan District	„	.....	...
		Peshawar Town	„	.....	...
		Peshawar Cantonment	„	.....	...
		Nowshera „	„	.....	...
		Peshawar District	„	.....	...
		Khyber Agency		...	...
			TOTAL	.....	...
BALUCHISTAN.	...	Sonmiani	N. W.	.....	...
		Hirok	„	.....	...
		Sibi	„	.....	...
		Fort Sandeman	„	.....	...
		Las Bela State	„	.....	...
			TOTAL	.....	...
			GRAND TOTAL	1,578	1,015

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 27th August 1908, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

At the beginning of the week a belt of relatively low pressure was lying over Gujarát and the central parts of the country; the Arabian Sea monsoon was in consequence confined to a large extent to the south of this area and as the Bay current was weak an almost complete break in the rains occurred in Upper India and the United Provinces. The break however was of short duration for the belt disappeared on the 23rd and depressions developed over the Gangetic plain and the North-West Frontier Province, with the result that rainfall was widespread and in many places heavy in the United Provinces and the east and north Punjab on the 25th, while by next morning it had extended over the North-West Frontier Province and the greater part of Kashmir. There was a decided improvement in the Bay current during the week, and almost the whole of Burma and northeast India received good rain, but especially south Bihar and the east of the United Provinces in the greater part of which areas the rainfall was heavy. At the close of the week an extensive depression with a well-defined circulation was forming over the north of the Bay and on the 27th very little rain fell in northeast India except in Bihar.

Burma.—On the 23rd rain was reported from nearly every station throughout the province: on the remaining days rainfall was nearly general in Lower Burma and local in Upper Burma. Cloud was moderately heavy and temperature was approximately normal.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Rainfall of a more or less local nature occurred in all parts of the division, and was most widespread on the 25th: Bihar received rain on the 25th and 27th. Skies were moderately to heavily clouded and temperature was normal, except in Bihar where during the first part of the week there was only light cloud and the days were warmer than usual.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Rain fell in all parts of the division and was most general on the 25th. Skies were moderately to heavily overcast except during the first three days of the week when they were clear or only lightly clouded in parts of the United Provinces. Temperature was normal or in defect, the deficiency being shown chiefly in the Central Provinces and Central India.

Northwest India.—There was rain on most days in the Punjab, Rajputana and Gujarat and on the 22nd and 23rd in Sind, and on the 26th and 27th in Kashmir: weather was dry over the greater part of northwest India on the 23rd and 24th. Temperature was generally normal or in defect, the largest deficiency occurring on the 26th in the Punjab.

The Peninsula.—Very little rain has fallen during the past week in the interior and on the east coast, and even on the west coast rainfall has been light and comparatively local in character. Cloud was only light to moderate in amount on most days and temperature was approximately normal.

The following summarises the chief rainfall amounts of the week as reported at 8 hrs. each day:—

August 21st. Akyab 3·14″, Bhamo 4·60″, Chaibassa 3·45″, Sambalpur 2·13″, Jubbulpore 2·16″ and Ahmedabad 2·09″.

" 22nd. Mergui 3·20″ and Hyderabad (Sind) 1·30″.

August 23rd. Akyab 8·31″, Minbu 1·03″ and Bareilly 2·10″.

" 24th. Sambalpur 1·91″, Cawnpore 2·07″, Nowgong 2·38″ and Madura 2·20″.

" 25th. Darjeeling 4·15″, Purnea 0·77″, Darbhanga 0·83″, Chaibassa 1·85″, Sambalpur 3·13″, Cawnpore 2·44″, Lucknow 2·55″, Roorkee 2·61″, Dehra Dun 2·13″, Nowgong 2·64″, Seoni 2·13″, Pachmarhi 2·89″, Raipur 4·20″, Lahore 3·21″, Rawalpindi 2·52″, Khushab 2·12″ and Jaipur 3·04″.

" 26th. Minbu 2·52″, Silchar 2·03″, Jalpaiguri 3·12″, Allahabad 4·21″, Mainpuri 2·41″, Sutna 2·52″, Delhi 2·12″, Gulmarg 2·16″ and Dera Ismail Khan 1·80″.

" 27th. Toungoo 3·36″, Thayetmyo 2·11″, Darjeeling 2·13″, Patna 6·32″, Gaya 3·17″ and Benares 2·53″.

The week's rainfall was below the average in Eastern Bengal, the west of Rajputana and of Central India and over the greater part of the Peninsula. There has not been much change in the departures from normal of seasonal rainfall: in Hyderabad (South) and southeast Madras rainfall which last week was nearly normal is now in defect, while the percentage of deficiency shown in Bihar and the east of the United Provinces has decreased to some extent. In addition to these divisions rainfall is also in defect in Eastern Bengal, south Hyderabad and the whole of Madras excluding Malabar.

DIVISION.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 27TH AUGUST 1908.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 1ST MAY 1908 TO 27TH AUGUST 1908.				
	Average actual rainfall in inches.	Average normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Average actual rainfall of season to date in inches.	Average normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	SEASONAL PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL. This week.	SEASONAL PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL. Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Stations in the Bay	9·5	3·2	+6·3	94·9	63·2	+31·7	+ 50	+ 43
Lower Burma	9·3	5·8	+3·5	110·2	103·7	+ 6·5	+ 6	+ 3
Upper Burma	2·7	2·0	+0·7	25·4	27·7	— 2·3	— 8	— 11
Assam	3·6	3·7	—0·1	57·1	59·8	— 2·7	— 5	— 4
Eastern Bengal	2·3	3·4	—1·1	45·1	57·5	—12·4	— 22	— 21
Bengal	1·7	2·9	—1·2	47·4	40·4	+ 7·0	+ 17	+ 22
Orissa	4·5	3·0	+1·5	46·5	42·0	+ 4·5	+ 11	+ 8
Chota Nagpur	3·0	2·3	+0·7	37·8	37·2	+ 0·6	+ 2	0
Bihar	3·0	3·5	—0·5	18·0	36·1	—18·1	— 50	— 54
United Provinces, East	3·8	3·4	+0·4	24·1	30·7	— 6·6	— 21	— 25
United Provinces, West	4·6	2·7	+1·9	35·4	32·5	+ 2·9	+ 9	+ 3
Punjab, East and North	2·9	1·5	+1·4	24·9	17·8	+ 7·1	+ 40	+ 36
Punjab, South-west	1·2	0·5	+0·7	12·2	7·2	+ 5·0	+ 69	+ 63
Kashmir	0·7	0·2	+0·5	4·9	4·2	+ 0·7	+ 17	+ 5
N.-W. Frontier Province	1·1	0·2	+0·9	5·4	4·9	+ 0·5	+ 10	— 9
Baluchistan	0	0	0	0·5	1·2	— 0·7	— 58	— 58
Sind	0·9	0·2	+0·7	9·3	4·7	+ 4·6	+ 98	+ 87
Rajputana, West	0·6	1·1	—0·5	17·6	9·4	+ 8·2	+ 87	+105
Rajputana, East	2·4	1·8	+0·6	26·1	17·7	+ 8·4	+ 47	+ 48
Gujarat	2·1	0·9	+1·2	27·1	21·4	+ 5·7	+ 27	+ 22
Central India, West	1·2	2·1	—0·9	23·0	22·4	+ 0·6	+ 3	+ 7
Central India, East	6·2	2·4	+3·8	35·8	33·9	+ 1·9	+ 6	— 6
Berar	3·5	1·3	+2·2	25·8	22·2	+ 3·6	+ 16	+ 7
Central Provinces, West	4·2	2·6	+1·6	32·9	35·3	— 2·4	— 7	— 12
Central Provinces, East	4·4	3·0	+1·4	42·0	37·9	+ 4·1	+ 11	+ 8
Konkan	3·1	3·4	—0·3	88·5	79·8	+ 8·7	+ 11	+ 12
Bombay Deccan	0·6	0·8	—0·2	15·9	16·3	— 0·4	— 2	— 2
Hyderabad, North	1·7	1·9	—0·2	21·4	20·8	+ 0·6	+ 3	+ 4
Hyderabad, South	0·2	1·5	—1·3	13·4	16·7	— 3·3	— 20	— 13
Mysore	0·3	1·1	—0·8	13·7	13·5	+ 0·2	+ 1	+ 8
Malabar	1·5	3·0	—1·5	81·1	73·1	+ 8·0	+ 11	+ 14
Madras, South-east	0·6	1·0	—0·4	6·6	8·5	— 1·9	— 22	— 19
Madras Deccan	0·1	1·0	—0·9	6·9	12·0	— 5·1	— 43	— 39
Madras Coast, North	1·1	1·4	—0·3	12·1	16·1	— 4·0	— 25	— 25

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 22nd August 1908.

Burma.—The rainfall was heavy in most districts and moderate elsewhere. The recent rain in the dry zone tract has done considerable good. Transplanting of winter rice is practically general and approaches completion in some places. In Upper Burma reaping of early sesamum continues and cultivation of dry crops is progressing. The condition of standing crops on the whole is satisfactory. The price of unhusked rice has fallen slightly in one district.

Eastern Bengal and Assam.—The general situation is unchanged since last week. In almost every part of Eastern Bengal and the Assam Valley, the rainfall is much less than is needed for transplantation of winter rice and wetting jute. Prospects of these crops therefore are far from good though fortunately Backarganj, Noakhali and the Surma Valley all of which are important rice producing areas have received fairly heavy falls of rain. Harvesting of summer rice and plucking of tea continue with good prospects. Cattle-disease is prevalent in Backarganj, Tippera, Noakhali, Malda, Goalpara, Darrang, Nowgong and the Khasi Hills. The price of rice has risen at sixteen stations and has fallen at eight.

Bengal.—The rainfall during the week was heavy in Cuttack, Puri, Sambalpur, Singhbhum and in parts of Midnapore; moderate in Balasore, Angul and in parts of Burdwan and light in other districts except Patna, Saran and Muzaffarpur where there was no rain. More rain is wanted in Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore and specially in the Bihar districts where the rainfall has been scanty and insufficient. Transplantation of winter paddy is at a stand-still in Bihar except in a portion of Shahabad and Champaran and where irrigation is possible. Standing autumn crops and winter paddy seedlings are suffering on account of insufficient rain in Patna, Gaya, Muzaffarpore, Darbhanga, Monghyr, Bhagalpur and Purnea. The condition of jute is fair except in Jessore, Khulna, Darjeeling and in parts of Murshidabad and Bhagalpur. Sugarcane is doing well. Prospects of standing crops are fair in Orissa, Chota Nagpur and in Lower Bengal. Damage by insects to paddy is reported from Burdwan, Midnapore, Hooghly, the 24-Parganas and Nadia. The Ganges has damaged some autumn crops in the Diara lands of Shahabad. Paddy in the Dhamnagar and Chandbali thanas of Balasore are under water. Stocks of food-grains are insufficient in Nadia, Murshidabad, Balasore and Palamau. The price of common rice has gone up in three districts of North Bihar and in Howrah, Nadia, Khulna, Patna, Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Angul and Hazaribagh and has fallen in Birbhum, Jessore, the Sonthal Parganas and Palamau. Cattle-disease is reported from Patna, Bhagalpur, Sambalpore and in Chota Nagpur except Singhbhum. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient throughout the Province. The number of persons gratuitously relieved was 33,660 of which 15,992 are in Orissa. The test-works in Nadia, Cuttack, Balasore, Angul, Puri, Hazaribagh and Ranchi were attended by 9,541 persons. The District Board test-works in Jessore have been closed. The number of persons on famine relief work in Ranchi was 8,885.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows:—*Ranchi district*—In the declared area, workers exclusive of dependants, 9,054; on gratuitous relief (*a*) dependants of workers *nil*; (*b*) in poor-houses or kitchens *nil* and (*c*) on village doles 5,885; grand total on relief 14,939. There is no change in general conditions. Transplantation is finished. The *gundli* crop is being harvested. Cholera is widespread. Prices 5 to 6 seers per rupee.

United Provinces.—The rainfall of the week was heaviest in the Allahabad and Agra divisions and was in greatest defect in North Oudh and the eastern districts. The largest falls were:—4 inches in Banda, Jhansi and Muttra and 3 inches in Allahabad, Fatehpur, Hamirpur, Agra and Garhwal. A break is badly needed in most of Bundelkhand for the black soil areas. In the Meerut and part of the Agra divisions some damage has been done by floods. A break of three days was beneficial in Muttra. Prospects of autumn crops are generally favourable except in the black soil areas of Jhansi through excess rain and in north Oudh and parts of the Benares and Gorakhpur divisions where more rain is required. Rain is urgently needed in submontane Oudh, Bara Banki, Sultanpur, Ballia, Gorakhpur and the east of Sitapur but no serious damage has as yet occurred except in parts of Bara Banki and Bahraich where standing crops are withering. Autumn sowings are practically completed and transplantation of late rice is in progress. Weeding of autumn and ploughing for spring crops continue. *Swan* is being harvested in a number of districts and early autumn crops are ripening. Prices continue high and have risen slightly in Fyzabad but have fallen in thirteen districts. The condition of agricultural stock is satisfactory. Fodder and water are available.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows:—There has been a decrease in the numbers on relief of 76,807 of whom over 67,000 were gratuitously relieved and 9,000 workers. Works still attract labourers in Bahraich and Kheri, but will

cease in the latter district at the end of August. Works have closed in Jaunpur. Gratuitous relief has been closed with valedictory doles in Almora, Sultanpur, Jaunpur, the Khaga tahsil of Fatehpur and the Chakia tahsil of the Family Domains in Mirzapur. Final doles are being given in Banda and Jalaun. The condition of the people is satisfactory, but fever is prevalent and cholera continues in some districts. Quinine is being distributed free of cost in the distressed areas. There are 2,537 persons on private works. The numbers on Government relief are :—on relief works 52,625 ; on aided works 3,938 ; dependants 257 ; on gratuitous relief 383,900 ; in poor-houses 1,525 ; total 442,246. The largest total figures are :—Kheri 98,521 ; Gonda 79,663 ; Bahraich 59,510 ; Mirzapur, with Family Domains, 48,262 ; Sitapur 35,442. Prices :—In the hills 5½ to 6¾ ; Bundelkhand 9½ to 10 1/16 ; Mirzapur 3 to 10 ; Kheri 10 ; elsewhere 11 to 14 seers per rupee.

Punjab.—Good to moderate rain was received in all districts except Gujranwala and Mianwali. Prices are generally falling. Wheat is dearer than scarcity rates in Hissar, Jullundur, Ludhiana, Amritsar and Jhang. Other food-grains are generally at or above scarcity rates. Sowings of autumn crops continue in some districts. Ploughings for spring crops are in progress in Jullundur and Sialkot. Sowings of *toria* have commenced in Lyallpur. The condition and prospects of standing autumn crops are good to average. Crops on low-lying lands have been damaged to some extent in Rohtak, Gurgaon and Amritsar. Crops in riverain villages of Delhi and Ferozepore have been destroyed by floods. Cattle are generally in good condition. Green grass is plentiful throughout the Province. There are no complaints regarding the water-supply.

North-West Frontier Province.—Good rain fell all over the Province averaging 4 cents to 1·62 inches. The rain was beneficial to standing crops and autumn sowings and enabled zemindars to continue the preparation of lands for spring crops. The condition of standing crops on irrigated and unirrigated areas is average and the outturn is expected to be the same. Fodder and water are sufficient. Irrigation from all the canals in the Province and from hill torrents in Dera Ismail Khan continues. Floods in rivers are diminishing. The public health is generally good but seasonable fever is prevailing in the Charsadda and Mardan tahsils. Cholera broke out in three villages of the Mardan and Swabi tahsils. The condition of cattle is generally good except in Nowshera, Kalah and in some villages of the Charsadda and Marwat tahsils. Anthrax is still prevailing in a village of the Nowshera tahsil. Prices of food-grains are falling slightly. Prices are :—wheat 9 3/16 to 13½ ; gram 10 1/16 to 13 ; maize 11⅜ to 17 and *bajra* 11 to 13⅞ seers per rupee.

Jammu.—The rain during the week was heavy. Prices are stationary. Wheat sells from 7 to 14 and maize from 8½ to 18 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is good. Fodder is sufficient.

Kashmir.—The weather is bright with some rain. Prices are almost stationary.

Rajputana.—The rainfall has again been general in Rajputana. The maximum amount recorded being 14½ inches at Bilara in Jodhpur. Continuous rain has retarded agricultural operations in Mewar, Sirohi, Banswara, Kotah, Jhalawar, Bharatpur and Todgarh in Merwara. Every State except Bikaner, Jaipur, Bundi, Tonk, Shahpura and Partabgarh reports that standing crops, especially maize, are suffering from excessive humidity ; the damage in Todgarh being estimated at 8 annas in the rupee. Some damage from catterpillars is also reported in the western districts of Jaipur. Prices have fallen in Bundi and Tonk ; otherwise there have only been slight fluctuations. Fodder is ample and cattle are generally in good condition.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was general and a break is urgently needed in Gwalior, Bhopal and Bundelkhand. Sowing continued in parts of Baghelkhand and weeding is in progress elsewhere. Lands are being prepared for spring crops in Gwalior and Bhopawar but operations have been stopped owing to incessant rains in Gwalior, Bhopal and Bundelkhand. Damage to crops is reported from Gwalior, Bhopal and parts of Bhopawar owing to heavy rain and by insects in parts of Malwa and Bhopawar. Agricultural stock is fair to good. Cattle-disease is reported in parts of Indore, Bhopal, Bundelkhand and Bhopawar. Prices are falling slightly in Indore and parts of Malwa and are high but steady elsewhere.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows :—The situation is improving. There is a further decrease in numbers on works. Relief works have been closed in the minor States in Baghelkhand. Prices :—Indore 10 ; Bundelkhand 8½ to 10 and the Bhopawar Agency 8 to 13 seers per rupee. The numbers on relief are :—Rewa—on works 1,583 ; on gratuitous relief 1,110 ; total 2,693. In Indore State—on works *nil* ; on gratuitous relief 6,413. In the Bundelkhand Agency—on works *nil* ; on gratuitous relief 252. In the Bhopawar Agency, Manpur—on works 1 ; on gratuitous relief 79. In the Gwalior Residency area—on works 63 ; on gratuitous relief 18 ; total 81. Grand total on works 1,647 ; on gratuitous relief 7,872 ; on both kinds of relief 9,519.

Central Provinces.—The rainfall during the week amounted to 1 inch in Wardha, Nimar and Bilaspur ; from 6 to 8 inches in Narsinghpur, Bhandara and Balaghat and in the other districts from 2 to 5 inches. Sowings of autumn crops are completed except in parts of Saugor, Damoh, Betul and Chhindwara where they are being continued. Rain has retarded late sowings of *til* and *kutki* in Chanda and Yeotmal ; also late sowings of *juar* are

still unfinished. For want of a break in the rains weeding operations, more or less, are suspended in Damoh, Jubbulpore, Seoni, Narsinghpur, Betul, Akola and the Harsud tahsil of Nimar. Transplantation and thinning operations in rice districts are well advanced. Preparation of land for winter crops continues in Betul, Chhindwara, Nagpur and Amraoti. Standing crops are in good condition but slight damage by excessive rain is reported in parts of Nagpur, Chanda, Amraoti, Buldana, Yeotmal and most of the northern districts. Generally all over the Province a break is greatly desirable in the interest of growing crop, late sowings, weeding operations and preparation of land for winter crops. Caterpillars have appeared in several districts but have done little damage. Fodder and water are sufficient and cattle are generally in good condition. Prices:—wheat fell by ½ to ½ seer per rupee in Damoh and Chhindwara and rose by ½ seer in Mandla and Drug. Gram became dearer by ½ to ½ seer in Jubbulpore, Chhindwara and Buldana and cheaper by ½ to 1 seer in Seoni and Saugor. Rice fell by ½ seer in Buldana and rose by ½ to ¾ seer in Mandla, Nimar, Drug and Amraoti. *Juar* was sold dearer by 2 seers in Amraoti and ½ seer in Chhindwara.

Feudatory States.—Raigarh and Sirguja recorded the heaviest rainfall, *viz.*, 8 to 12 inches. Jashpur, Korea and Sakti from 6 to 7 inches and the remaining States from 1 to 2 inches. Sowings of autumn crops are almost completed. Transplantation and thinning operations are in rapid progress. Weeding continues. Crops are generally doing well. Fodder and water are ample. Prices:—wheat rose by 1 seer per rupee in Bastar and ½ seer in Raj-Nandgaon. Rice and *kodon* sold dearer by ½ seer in Raj-Nandgaon.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows:—During the week the rainfall has again been heavy, especially in the northern districts impeding agricultural operations and damaging *til* and *juar* and a break is much needed. Prospects of standing crops are generally favourable but considerable damage from caterpillars is reported in several districts. Numbers on village works have increased. The increase is on small works opened in the Mandla district which will shortly be closed. The number employed on contract work is steady while that on the Nagpur Itarsi Railway in Betul has risen further. The numbers on village relief have also expanded but the increase is only temporary owing to the contraction of agricultural operations from continuous rain. The numbers are expected to decrease when maize and the early sown millets are harvested but the backwardness of the crops will protract the period during which relief is required. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prices are steady. The public health is good. Relief measures are adequate. The numbers on relief are:—on works 1,137; weavers 14,960; on gratuitous relief 31,216; total 47,313.

Bombay.—The rainfall during the week was good in parts of Gujarat, the Konkan, Nasik and the Gujarat Native States; moderate in parts of Hyderabad, Thar and Parkar, Khandesh, Poona, Satara and Belgaum and slight in parts of Karachi, Sukkur, Larkana, the Upper Sind Frontier, Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Bijapur and Dharwar. The rain is insufficient in the eastern portions of the Deccan and the Karnatak and sufficient elsewhere. Continuous rain is retarding autumn sowings in parts of Gujarat, West Khandesh, Cutch, Rewa Kantha and Palanpur and a break is urgently needed. Sowing is retarded in parts of Bijapur for want of sufficient rain and continues in parts of Sind, Kanara, the Panch Mahals, West Khandesh, Dharwar, Baroda, Palanpur and Cutch. Standing crops have been slightly damaged by insects in parts of Bijapur and are suffering on account of floods or excessive rain in parts of Karachi, Hyderabad, Ahmedabad, the Panch Mahals, Surat, Khandesh, Nasik, Satara and the Gujarat Native States and from want of moisture in parts of Ahmednagar, Poona and Bijapur. Crops are in good condition elsewhere. Transplantation is progressing in parts of Larkana, the Upper Sind Frontier, Ahmedabad, Kaira, Kanara, Nasik, Poona, Baroda and Rewa Kantha. The supply of fodder is adequate except in parts of Ahmednagar, Poona, Satara and Bijapur. Agricultural stock is generally in good condition and sufficient except in parts of Karachi, the Deccan and Cutch. The supply of water for drinking as well as for irrigation is sufficient except in parts of Ahmednagar, Poona, Sholapur and Bijapur. Prices of foodgrains are almost stationary. The quantity purchasable per rupee is in Sind 31 to 42 per cent; in Gujarat 33 to 76 per cent; in the Konkan 27 to 34 per cent; in the Deccan 36 to 50 per cent and in the Karnatak 32 to 50 per cent less than the normal. Stocks of grain are generally adequate. Labourers get sufficient field employment and wages are normal. The cultivating and labouring classes are in fair condition. The daily average numbers on gratuitous relief are:—Panch Mahals 823; West Khandesh 1,895; Nasik 2,020; Ahmednagar 1,977; Poona 163; Sholapur 1,489; Bijapur 656 and Jath 88.

Hyderabad.—The rainfall during the week was 98 cents. The autumn crop is generally fair to good. Weeding continues. In Raichur sowings are still suspended. Young plants are withering in parts. In three talukas in the Raichur district the total rainfall is under 4 inches: in others the fall varies from 4 to 7¾ inches. Raichur depends chiefly on the north-east monsoon. If it comes a good season is still anticipated while if the rain holds off a failure of the autumn crop is expected over a considerable area. The Astimi taluka in the Bir district is in a similar condition as the total rainfall is only 4 inches 21 cents. Autumn crops have either not been sown or are withering. Early rice sowings continue and the crop is generally in fair condition. Preparation of lands for spring crops continue. There is water scarcity in 6 talukas and fodder scarcity in 14. Cattle disease is reported in 16 talukas. Prices: wheat 5¼; coarse rice 6 and *juar* 11¾ seers per rupee. White *juar* is selling in Hyderabad City at 11 seers per rupee. Yellow *juar* is not available in the market. The highest price in districts is 8 seers in the Lingsugur taluka.

Mysore.—The rainfall during the week was good in Kadur and Shimoga and slight elsewhere. Prices of food-grains are generally steady. Standing crops are in good condition but more rain is needed in parts of Bangalore, Kolar, Tumkur, Mysore, Hassan and Chitaldrug. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall 3 inches 27 cents. Transplanting of rice continues. Prices of food-grains are high. The public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall was very heavy in South Canara; heavy in the Vizagapatam Agency; good in Ganjam, Godavari, Malabar, the Vizagapatam littoral and Kistna; *nil* in Coimbatore and Tinnevelly and light to fair elsewhere. Irrigation supplies are insufficient in parts of all districts except Godavari, Guntur, Malabar, South Canara and the Nilgiris. Ploughing, sowing, weeding and transplanting are in progress in parts. Standing crops are generally fair but some in parts of the Deccan, Central Madura and Tinnevelly are withering or require more rain. Harvests continue, except in Godavari, Kistna, Guntur, Tanjore, Tinnevelly and South Canara with outturn poor to fair. Pasture is insufficient except in Ganjam, Godavari, Kistna, Kurnool, Chingleput, Madras, Tanjore, Malabar, South Canara and the Nilgiris. Fodder is scanty in parts of the Circars, the Deccan, Salem and Trichinopoly. The condition of cattle is generally good. The price of rice is stationary in thirteen districts; has fallen in one and has risen in nine. The prices of millets have fluctuated as follows:—*Ragi* is stationary in ten districts; has fallen in five and has risen in six. *Cholam* is stationary in eight districts; has fallen in two and has risen in four. *Cumbu* is stationary in six districts; has fallen in three and has risen in six. The public health is generally good but cholera is prevalent in several districts, Malabar, Kurnool and Anantapur being most affected. Prospects are generally fair but sowings are backward in most districts and more rain is urgently required. The condition of the labouring classes is good and employment is procurable. Grain stocks are generally sufficient. The daily average number relieved on the test-works in the Bellary taluk is 916.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows:—The distress in the Ganjam district is decreasing owing to the rains. The number of Khonds relieved by doles average 215 daily.

Statement showing the number of persons in receipt of relief:

Name of Province or State.	Preceding week. (Revised figures.)			Present week.			Increase or Decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
British Provinces.							
Bengal . . .	18,118	33,572	51,690	18,426	33,660	52,086	+396
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	65,889	453,164	519,053*	56,820	385,426	442,246†	−76,807
Central Provinces .	1,101	45,790	46,891	1,137	46,176	47,313	+422
Bombay . . .	...	9,246	9,246	...	9,023	9,023	−223
Madras . . .	973	245	1,218	916	215	1,131	−87
Total British Provinces.	86,081	542,017	628,098	77,299	474,500	551,799	−76,299
Native States.							
Central India States .	1,870	12,744	14,614‡	1,647	7,872	9,519	−5,095
Bombay Native States .	...	87	87	...	83	88	+1
Total Native States	1,870	12,831	14,701	1,647	7,960	9,607	−5,094
GRAND TOTAL .	87,951	554,848	642,799	78,946	482,460	561,406	−81,393

* Excludes 2,921 persons relieved on private works.
† Excludes 2,537 persons relieved on private works.
‡ Includes figures for the Gwalior Residency Area for the week ending 18th July 1908 as no figures for that area were reported last week.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

FAMINE.

Statement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Districts and Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India—(District details).

NOTE.—The figures are compiled from returns obtained from Local Governments and Political Officers, and give the corrected details of the totals reported in the telegraphic famine reports published weekly in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

Non-labouring children and other dependants of relief workers are classed under relief works when distinguished in the local returns from persons gratuitously relieved in poor-houses or at their houses. Weavers relieved in their own trade are shown under "village doles or other relief."

No.	Name of Provinces, Districts and Native States.	Area in Sq. miles.	Population.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 8TH AUGUST 1908.								
				Relief Works.			Number on test works.	Total on works.	Gratuitous Relief.			Grand Total.
				Workers.	Dependants.	Total.			Poor-houses or kitchens.	Village doles or other relief.	Total.	
	United Provinces.											
1	Muttra	1,444	763,099	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,787	6,787	6,787
2	Agra	1,853	1,060,546	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,616	4,616	4,616
3	Etawah	1,691	806,798	43	...	43	...	43	...	2,314	2,314	2,357
4	Cawnpore ...	2,366	1,258,868	...	...	...	...	...	6	549	555	555
5	Fatehpur... ...	1,631	686,391	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,571	1,571	1,571
6	Banda	3,061	631,058	389	...	389	...	389	74	23,918	23,992	24,381
7	Hamirpur ...	2,289	458,542	137	...	137	...	137	54	12,616	12,670	12,807
8	Allahabad ...	2,850	1,493,755	...	...	...	...	...	76	12,271	12,347	12,347
9	Jhansi	3,587	616,759	271	...	271	...	271	59	9,933	9,992	10,263
10	Jalaun	1,565	399,726	192	...	192	...	192	...	11,924	11,924	12,116
11	Benares	889	882,084	201	...	201	...	201	...	3,284	3,284	3,485
12	Mirzapur,... ...	4,352	706,989	4,671	...	4,671	...	4,671	142	68,508	68,650	73,321
13	Jaunpur	1,550	1,202,920	8,217	...	8,217	...	8,217	...	5,765	5,765	13,982
14	Ballia	1,250	987,768	527	...	527	...	527	...	...	...	527
15	Family Domains ...	473	66,601	2,703	...	2,703	...	2,703	...	3,742	3,742	6,445
16	Basti	2,796	1,846,153	202	...	202	...	202	360	9,541	9,901	10,103
17	Azamgarh ...	2,199	1,548,174	...	...	...	...	...	...	716	716	716
18	Almora	5,416	465,893	2,043	...	2,043	...	2,043	...	1,389	1,389	3,432
19	Lucknow... ...	977	798,241	2	...	2	...	2	...	2,068	2,068	2,070
20	Sitapur	2,250	1,175,473	8,726	...	8,726	...	8,726	157	33,119	33,276	42,002
21	Hardoi	2,325	1,093,000	...	...	...	...	...	51	10,957	11,008	11,008
22	Kheri	2,963	905,138	24,183	...	24,183	...	24,183	142	69,034	69,176	93,359
23	Fyzabad	1,749	1,204,967	25	...	25	...	25	27	2,789	2,816	2,841
24	Gonda	2,651	1,403,195	848	...	848	...	848	543	61,505	62,048	62,896
25	Bahraich ...	2,316	1,048,856	21,376	21	21,397	...	21,397	401	109,174	109,575	130,972
26	Sultanpur ...	1,701	1,083,904	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,914	3,914	3,914
27	Bara Banki ...	1,757	1,179,323	...	...	...	...	...	56	13,050	13,106	13,106
28	Dehra Dun ...	1,193	178,195	138	...	138	...	138	...	358	358	496
29	Garhwal ...	5,629	429,900	157	...	157	...	157	...	2,914	2,914	3,071
	Total United Provinces	66,773	26,377,316	75,051	21	75,072	...	75,072	2,148	488,326	490,474	565,546
	Bombay.											
1	Panch Mahals ...	1,606	261,020	...	...	...	...	...	...	830	830	830
2	West Khandesh ...	10,041	1,427,382*	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,354	1,354	1,354
3	Nasik	5,850	413,386	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,585	1,585	1,585
4	Poona ...	5,349	995,330	...	...	...	...	...	...	159	159	159
5	Sholapur ...	4,541	720,977	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,489	1,489	1,489
6	Ahmednagar ...	6,586	837,695	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,619	1,619	1,619
7	Bijapur	5,669	735,435	...	...	...	...	...	...	725	725	725
	Total Bombay ...	39,642	5,391,225	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,761	7,761	7,761
	Bengal.											
1	Nadia	2,793	1,667,491	...	...	...	4,009	4,009	...	2,616	2,616	6,625
2	Cuttack	3,629	2,062,758	...	...	...	1,221	1,221	...	5,859	5,859	7,080
3	Balasore	2,059	1,071,197	...	...	...	173	173	...	6,489	6,489	6,662
4	Puri	2,472	1,017,284	...	...	...	1,256	1,256	...	2,407	2,407	3,663
5	Bankura	2,621	1,116,411	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,074	1,074	1,074
6	Ranchi	7,128	1,187,925	11,127	13	11,140	549	11,689	...	5,933	5,933	17,622
7	Hazaribagh ...	7,021	1,177,961	...	...	...	343	343	...	3,393	3,393	3,736
8	Angul	1,681	191,911	...	...	...	314	314	...	1,041	1,041	1,355
9	Jessore	2,925	1,813,155	...	...	...	92	92	...	3,559	3,559	3,651
10	Burdwan	2,689	1,532,475	...	...	...	...	...	...	390	390	390
	Total Bengal ...	35,018	12,838,568	11,127	13	11,140	7,957	19,097	...	32,761	32,761	51,858

* The area and population have been taken for the District as a whole.

Statement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Districts and Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India—(District details)—continued.

No.	Name of Provinces, Districts and Native States.	Area in Sq. miles.	Population.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 8TH AUGUST 1908.								
				Relief Works.			Number on test works.	Total on works.	Gratuitous Relief.			Grand Total.
				Workers.	Dependants.	Total.			Poor-houses or kitchens.	Village doles or other relief.	Total.	
	Central Provinces.											
1	Hoshangabad (portion)	1,250	194,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	609	609	6
2	Damoh (portion) ...	1,070	135,000	1,207	...	1,207	...	1,207	...	3,065	3,065	4,2
3	Nimar (portion) ...	724	86,000	4,428	...	4,428	...	4,428	...	1,055	1,055	5,4
4	Jubbulpore (portion) ..	2,700	372,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,328	10,328	10,3
5	Betul (portion) ...	266	50,000	...	...	...	...	...	120	1,460	1,580	1,8
6	Chhindwara (portion)...	2,874	240,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,793	2,793	2,7
7	Mandla (whole) ...	5,044	367,000	15	...	15	...	15	...	4,707	4,707	4,7
8	Seoni (portion) ...	1,658	184,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,391	2,391	2,3
9	Saugor (portion) .	241	33,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,744	1,744	1,7
10	Nagpur („)...	18	200,000	10,520	...	10,520	...	10,520	...	266	266	10,7
11	Bhandara („)...	1,706	178,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	222	222	2
12	Balaghat („)...	2,553	315,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	696	696	6
13	Bilaspur („)...	910	91,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	889	889	8
14	Narsinghpur(„)...	500	63,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	830	830	8
15	Chanda („)...	7	18,000	170	...	170	...	170	...	...	...	1,2
	Total Central Provinces	21,521	3,526,000	16,340	...	16,340	...	16,340	120	31,055	31,175	47,5
	Madras.											
1	Ganjam	8,372	2,010,256	...	...	...	...	...	...	247	247	
2	Bellary taluk ...	962	193,401	...	...	...	737	737	...	...	...	
	Total ...	9,334	2,203,657	...	...	...	737	737	...	247	247	
	Total British Provinces	172,288	49,336,766	102,518	34	102,552	8,694	111,243	2,268	560,150	562,418	673,6
	Central India States.											
1	Rewa	13,000	1,327,385	3,500	...	3,500	...	3,500	...	1,500	1,500	5,0
2	Nagod	501	67,092	}								
3	Jaso	72	7,209									
4	Baraunda... ...	217	15,724	...	...	...	...	...	...	250	250	
5	Kamta	4	1,000	}								
6	Orchha	2,079	322,000	...	...	...	...	...	43	118	161	
7	Alipura ... (Jagir)...	73	15,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	61	61	
8	Tori Fatehpur („)...	36	7,000	5	...	5	...	5	23	...	23	
9	Manpur (British) ...	49	5,000	9	...	9	...	9	...	76	76	
10	Indore	5,120	357,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	21,554	21,554	21,5
11	Gwalior Residency area	1	1,000	107	...	107	...	107	...	18	18	
	Total Central India States.	21,152	2,125,410	3,621	...	3,621	...	3,621	66	23,577	23,643	27,2
	Bombay States.											
	Jath	884	61,868	...	...	...	...	...	...	82	82	
	Total Bombay States...	884	61,868	...	...	...	...	...	...	82	82	
	Total Native States...	22,036	2,187,278	3,621	...	3,621	...	3,621	66	23,659	23,725	27,2
	Grand Total British Provinces and Native States.	194,324	51,524,044	106,139	34	106,173	8,694	114,867	2,334	583,809	586,143	70,8

* Incomplete.

† Figures for the 18th July have been included as no figures were reported for this or the previous weeks.

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Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

RAILWAY BOARD.

STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column *Total earnings*, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

	Railways.	Average earnings per mile per week.		Results of working during 2nd-half of year.										Results of working for official year.			
				Mean mileage worked.		Total earnings for week ending		Earnings per mile open for week		Total earnings from 1st July to		Increase.	Decrease.	Total earnings from 1st April to		Increase.	Decrease.
		During 2nd-half of 1907.	During official year 1907-08.	1907.	1908.	17th August 1907.	15th August 1908.	1907.	1908.	17th August 1907.	15th August 1908.			17th August 1907.	15th August 1908.		
		R	R	*Miles.*	*Miles.*	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
	State and Guaranteed Railways.																
5' 6" gauge.	Bengal-Nagpur (including 2' 6" gauge lines)	244	264	2,038	2,119	3,67,747	3,69,000	180	174	34,15,245	26,91,000	...	7,24,245	1,10,89,476	96,44,000	...	14,45,476
	Bezwada extension	267	288	21	21	3,914	7,000	186	333	30,663	41,600	10,937	...	1,13,531	1,38,000	24,469	...
	Bombay, Baroda and Central India (incldg. V.-Wadhwan Section 3' 3½" gauge)	688	790	504	504	2,32,063	2,91,000	460	577	21,65,202	20,16,000	...	1,49,202	85,49,545	80,96,000	...	4,53,545
	Nagda-Muttra	29	37	101	139	2,296	2,500	23	18	(*a*) 12,495	24,800	12,305	...	(*a*)12,495	1,06,000	93,505	...
	Eastern Bengal (incldg. 3' 3½" and 2' 6" gauge lines)	442	399	1,268	1,274	4,97,130	5,00,000	392	392	29,40,640	27,50,000	...	1,90,640	82,87,363	86,08,000	3,20,637	...
	East Indian	635	681	2,321	2,328	13,13,445	15,10,000	566	649	1,01,75,434	1,03,47,000	1,67,566	...	3,14,08,809	3,09,93,000	...	4,15,809
	Great Indian Peninsula	551	626	1,569	1,606	4,83,041	6,09,000	308	379	46,79,999	41,56,000	...	5,23,999	1,92,03,421	1,59,26,000	...	32,77,421
	Agra-Delhi Chord	230	233	126	126	32,164	30,400	255	241	1,60,355	1,66,000	5,645	...	5,37,026	5,54,000	16,974	...
	Baran Kotah (*b*)	...	...	...	13	...	100	...	8	...	900	900	...	...	900	900	...
	Indian Midland (incldg. Bhopal-Itarsi)	226	257	914	914	1,75,524	1,58,000	192	173	14,29,263	12,26,000	...	3,03,263	50,74,888	41,16,000	...	9,58,888
	Madras and Southern Mahratta (including 3' 3½" gauge lines)	207	220	2,883	2,838	5,15,286	5,77,000	179	203	40,54,101	35,88,000	...	4,66,101	1,34,46,835	1,21,56,000	...	12,90,835
	North-Western (including 2' 6" gauge lines)	387	371	3,614	3,614	15,48,394	9,97,000	428	276	1,08,81,343	61,35,000	...	47,46,343	2,84,92,377	2,06,87,000	...	78,05,377
	Oudh and Rohilkhand (incldg. C.-Burhwal 3' 3½" link)	261	269	1,298	1,298	2,97,191	2,89,000	229	223	22,31,157	18,01,000	...	4,30,157	69,34,584	62,11,000	...	7,23,584
	Hardwar-Dehra	230	235	32	32	6,605	5,000	206	156	48,447	41,000	...	7,447	1,54,960	1,52,000	...	2,960
5' 3½" gauge.	Assam-Bengal	127	121	771	771	90,254	83,000	117	108	6,16,825	5,16,000	...	1,00,825	17,23,352	16,17,000	...	1,06,352
	Bezwada-Masulipatam (*c*)	...	...	...	49	...	5,500	...	112	...	34,000	34,000	...	...	1,25,000	1,25,000	...
	Burma	203	240	1,401	1,475	2,07,884	2,42,000	148	164	15,17,265	17,38,000	2,20,735	...	58,10,514	65,77,000	7,66,486	...
	Jodhpur-Hyderabad (British Section)	121	128	124	124	12,203	12,000	98	97	92,435	73,100	...	19,335	3,09,221	2,73,000	...	36,221
	Lucknow-Bareilly	137	148	200	200	22,602	23,200	113	116	1,56,438	1,52,000	...	4,438	6,21,402	5,98,000	...	23,402
	Palanpur-Deesa	44	50	17	17	442	500	26	29	4,813	3,500	...	1,313	17,368	19,100	1,732	...
	Rajputana-Malwa (including Godhra-Rutlam-Nagda 5' 6" gauge)	267	282	1,909	1,914	4,91,847	3,35,000	258	175	36,05,932	23,81,000	...	12,24,932	1,13,82,617	88,08,000	...	24,74,617
	South Indian (including 5' 6" and 2' 6" gauge lines)	217	235	1,330	1,375	2,84,281	3,49,000	214	254	19,84,703	23,59,000	3,74,297	...	60,22,300	74,62,000	14,39,700	...
	Tanjore District Board	112	121	103	103	10,466	10,600	102	103	77,576	86,800	9,224	...	2,64,482	2,77,000	12,518	...
	Travancore Branch	115	110	108	108	9,755	11,800	90	109	74,468	77,400	2,932	...	2,32,659	2,36,000	3,341	...
	Tirhoot State	197	212	690	774	1,04,886	1,16,000	152	150	7,94,066	8,77,000	82,934	...	29,12,545	31,85,000	2,72,455	...
2' 6" gauge.	Jorhat	57	59	32	30	2,184	1,800	68	60	12,991	12,000	...	991	36,607	35,700	...	907
	TOTAL	330	347	23,374	23,766	67,11,604	65,35,400	287	275	5,11,61,856	4,31,90,100	...	79,71,756	16,26,38,377	14,67,80,700	...	1,59,37,677

5' 6" gauge.	Bina-Guna-Baran	68	73	148	148	11,014	6,900	74	47	81,449	35,500	...	45,949	2,49,365	1,96,000	...	53,365
	Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	261	258	162	162	35,146	35,600	217	220	2,59,106	2,56,000	...	3,106	8,21,003	8,32,000	10,997	...
	Jammu-Kashmir (Native State Section)	97	97	16	16	1,158	1,600	72	100	9,140	10,800	1,660	...	28,307	34,700	6,393	...
	Kolar Gold-fields	405	383	10	10	4,786	3,200	479	320	30,800	19,600	...	11,200	81,994	65,700	...	16,294
	Ludhiana-Dhuri-Jakhal	156	154	79	79	11,231	12,500	142	158	82,923	82,000	...	923	2,53,502	2,47,000	...	6,502
	Nagda-Ujjain	91	109	34	34	4,899	1,600	144	47	24,423	12,200	...	12,223	89,873	68,300	...	21,573
	Nizam's Guaranteed State	277	289	334	334	62,264	72,000	186	216	5,15,038	4,55,000	...	60,038	18,21,374	17,64,000	...	57,374
	Petlad-Cambay	105	123	34	34	2,375	3,200	70	94	23,458	23,500	42	...	91,411	99,000	7,589	...
	Rajpura-Bhatinda	298	274	107	107	20,772	23,500	194	220	1,87,118	1,66,000	...	21,118	5,20,807	4,98,000	...	22,807
	Southern Punjab	249	229	425	425	83,784	66,100	197	156	6,56,121	4,68,000	...	2,48,121	16,97,130	12,86,000	...	4,11,130
	" "Ludhiana" extension	122	112	155	155	20,425	15,000	132	97	1,37,321	1,05,000	...	32,321	3,46,130	3,10,000	...	36,130
	Tapti Valley	89	124	155	155	9,480	6,600	61	43	73,700	56,700	...	17,000	4,14,441	3,24,000	...	90,441
	Tarkessur	261	323	22	22	5,705	4,900	259	223	44,273	40,100	...	4,173	1,50,081	1,41,000	...	9,081
3' 3¾" gauge.	Ahmedabad-Dholka	60	68	34	34	1,636	1,400	48	41	14,244	12,400	...	1,844	49,660	53,500	3,840	...
	Ahmedabad-Parantij	83	95	55	55	2,868	3,200	52	58	29,266	24,900	...	4,366	1,06,295	1,18,000	11,705	...
	Bengal and North-Western	142	163	1,015	1,015	1,35,162	1,23,000	133	121	10,60,652	8,94,000	...	1,66,652	37,77,868	31,38,000	...	6,39,868
	Bengal Dooars	139	130	153	153	22,448	19,500	147	127	1,32,277	1,25,000	...	7,277	3,69,334	3,51,000	...	18,334
	Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar	100	118	455	455	34,688	35,600	76	78	2,66,926	2,52,000	...	14,926	11,04,713	11,55,000	50,287	...
	Birur-Shimoga	60	73	38	38	2,094	2,800	55	74	18,316	17,500	...	816	61,049	55,600	...	5,449
	Dibru-Sadiya	260	257	78	78	18,694	22,100	240	283	1,31,219	1,28,000	...	3,219	3,89,941	3,92,000	2,059	...
	Gaekwar's Mehsana (including Vijapur-Kalol-Kadi)	69	78	134	134	6,759	7,400	50	55	59,344	62,500	3,156	...	2,32,529	2,42,000	9,471	...
	Hindupur	118	126	51	51	5,169	5,500	101	108	37,477	33,400	...	4,077	1,38,321	1,09,000	...	29,321
	Hyderabad-Godavari Valley	118	160	392	392	24,003	37,900	61	97	2,37,132	2,71,000	33,868	...	12,57,264	11,99,000	...	58,264
	Jaipur	48	42	32	73	944	1,300	29	18	7,275	9,500	2,225	...	24,622	40,500	15,878	...
	Jodhpur-Bikaner	72	80	709	709	39,956	32,000	56	45	3,50,103	2,66,000	...	84,103	12,22,839	10,51,000	...	1,71,839
	Kolhapur	99	130	29	29	2,538	3,800	88	131	20,826	24,800	3,974	...	78,198	90,900	12,702	...
	Morvi (including Vankaner-Morvi 2' 6" gauge)	86	92	95	93	5,846	6,500	62	70	52,256	59,700	7,444	...	1,68,582	2,16,000	47,418	...
	Mymensingh-Jamalpur-Jagannathganj	126	121	51	54	6,409	7,500	126	130	35,452	35,800	348	...	1,08,097	1,21,000	12,903	...
	Mysore-Nanjangud	46	52	16	16	601	1,100	38	69	4,556	6,700	2,144	...	15,366	21,100	5,734	...
	Rohilkund and Kumaon	151	147	130	214	19,199	21,600	148	101	1,46,313	1,43,000	...	3,313	4,79,322	5,23,000	43,678	...
	Sangli	80	112	5	5	269	700	54	140	2,728	3,900	1,172	...	11,910	13,800	1,890	...
	Shoranur-Cochin	118	126	65	65	3,749	6,900	58	106	42,863	41,800	...	1,063	1,58,354	1,48,000	...	10,354
	Udaipur-Chitor	61	70	67	67	4,128	2,800	62	42	33,630	19,700	...	13,930	1,08,299	97,800	...	10,499
2' 6" gauge.	Barsi	116	125	78	78	3,129	5,800	40	74	95,248	55,100	...	40,148	2,47,449	1,79,000	...	68,449
	Cooch-Behar	105	102	34	34	2,808	3,000	83	88	19,174	19,400	226	...	58,680	68,000	9,320	...
	Gaekwar's Dabhoi	73	96	94	94	4,107	5,900	44	63	38,350	37,900	...	450	1,99,031	2,01,000	1,969	...
	Rajpipla	32	43	37	37	954	1,000	26	27	7,216	6,600	...	616	34,755	31,300	...	3,455
2' 0" gauge.	Darjeeling-Himalayan	355	350	51	51	18,690	16,000	366	314	1,05,672	97,000	...	9,672	3,77,513	3,84,000	6,487	...
	TOTAL	140	150	5,721	5,847	6,57,235	6,40,900	115	110	52,16,953	44,05,000	...	8,11,953	1,77,74,887	1,61,90,300	...	15,84,587
	GRAND TOTAL	293	308	29,095	29,613	73,68,839	71,76,300	253	242	5,63,78,809	4,75,95,100	...	87,83,709	18,04,13,264	16,28,91,000	...	1,75,22,264

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

EDUCATION.

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR THE SCIENTIFIC STUDY OF SANSKRIT AND ARABIC BY NATIVES OF INDIA.

Nos. 731—743.

Simla, the 1st September 1908.

RESOLUTION.

The Government of India have for some time past had under their consideration the question of encouraging the scientific study of Sanskrit and Arabic by natives of India. They believe that great advantage will result from aiding students to acquire the critical and scientific methods of Western scholarship, by studying the classics under European professors and by acquiring a knowledge of French and German which is indispensable for making full use of the researches of European Orientalists.

2. They have accordingly decided, with the sanction of the Secretary of State, to allot for the present four scholarships tenable in Europe, three for the study of Sanskrit and one for the study of Arabic. Not more than two will be awarded annually. The scholarships will be open to well qualified students with a genuine taste for oriental studies and to gentlemen already employed as professors of Sanskrit and Arabic in India. The value of each scholarship will

be £150 a year, and it will be tenable for two years. The Secretary of State will decide the courses of study of each scholarship-holder and the special conditions to be observed, if necessary, by students who elect to study in continental Europe rather than in England. A scholarship-holder will be provided with a free second class passage to Europe, and also with a return passage if he completes the full period of residence or is compelled by sickness to return within that period. He will be required for disciplinary purposes to conform to such rules as the Secretary of State may make in this behalf.

3. In the first year one scholarship will be awarded for Sanskrit and one for Arabic. In the following year two scholarships for Sanskrit only will be awarded. Each local Government or Administration is invited to submit during the current financial year the name of one candidate for a Sanskrit and one for an Arabic scholarship, and in the following year the names of two candidates for a Sanskrit scholarship, this procedure being followed in alternate years. It is requested that the names of the candidates may be accompanied by a full description of their qualifications, and with the views and recommendations of the local Government thereon. The power of selection will rest with the Government of India who will award the scholarships to those whom they may consider best fitted to hold them. Local Governments and Administrations are requested to submit their recommendations so as to reach the Government of India by the 31st March of each year at latest. Those for the current year should be sent in as soon as possible.

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* Madras.
Bombay.
Bengal.
United Provinces.
Punjab.
Burma.
Eastern Bengal and Assam.
Central Provinces.
North-West Frontier Province.
Coorg.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be communicated to all local Governments* and Administrations for information and guidance.

Ordered also that a copy be forwarded to the $\frac{\text{Finance}}{\text{Foreign}}$ Department for information and that a copy be published in the supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

H. A. STUART,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Simla, the 3rd September, 1908.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 29th August 1908, is published for general information:

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind.	Northern.	Bombay City	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P.	39	30
		Dholera Port	B.-G.-J.-P.	.....	...
		Ahmedabad District	„ B. B. & C. I.	32	6
		Kaira District	B., B. & C. I.	47	13
		Broach Port	„ „	.....	...
		Broach District	„ „	.....	...
		Mahi Kantha Agency	„ „	31	27
		Palanpur „	„ „	.....	...
		Surat Town and Port	„ „	.....	...
		Bulsar Port	„ „	.....	...
		Surat District	„ „	17	9
		Utan Port	B., B. & C. I. & B.-G.-J.-P.	.....	...
		Vesava „	„ „	.....	...
		Kelva „	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Trombay „	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Tarapur „	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Manori „	„ „	.....	...
		Mahim „	„ „	.....	...
		Dahanu „	B., B.	.....	...
		Bhiwndi „	G. I. P.	4	3
		Agashi „	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Kurla „	.....	.....	...
		Bassein „	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Kalyan „	G. I. P.	19	15
		Thana „	„	6	5
		Bandra „	B., B. & C. I.	.....	..
		Umbargaon Port	„ „	.....	...
		Thana District	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	8	4
	Central.	Poona City	Madras & S. M. & G. I. P.	8	4
		Poona District	„ „ „	141	93
		Satara „	Madras & S. M.	72	51
		East Khandesh District	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Sholapur Town	„	1 (a)	2 (a)
		Sholapur District	„ Madras & S. M. & Barsi	9	6

(a) Imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	Southern.	Alibag Port	G. I. P.	1	1
		Thal „	.....	.....	...
		Panvel „	G. I. P.	.....	1
		Mahad „	.....	.....	...
		Nagothna Port	.....	.....	...
		Roha „	I. P. & Madras S. M.	.....	...
		Ashtami „	„ „ „	.....	...
		Revdanda „	G. I. P. & Madras S. M.	.....	...
		Kolaba District	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	2	3
		Ratnagiri Port	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Vijaydurg „	„	.....	...
		Harnai „	„	.....	...
		Vengurla „	„	.....	...
		Malvan „	.....	.....	...
		Jaytapur „	.....	.....	...
		Dabhol „	.....	.....	...
		Jaygad „	.....	.....	...
		Devgad „	.....	.....	...
		Ratnagiri District	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Belgaum „	„	138	93
		Hubli Town	„	.....	...
		Dharwar District	„	73	63
		Karwar Port	„	.....	...
		Savantvadi State	„	.....	...
	Sind.	Karachi Town and Port	N. W.	34	30
		Karachi District	„	.....	...
		Hyderabad Town	„	.....	...
		Hyderabad District	„ & J. B.	.....	...
		Larkhana „	„	.....	...
		Thar and Parkar District	J. B.	.....	...
		Upper Sind Frontier District	.....	.....	...
		Sukkur District	N. W.	.....	...
		Khairpur State	„ & J. B.	.....	...
	Political Charges.	Akalkot State	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Aundh „	G. I. P. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Sholapur Agency	.....	.....	...
		Phaltan State	G. I. P. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Tuna Port	Tuna-Anjar	.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind.	Political Charges.	Mundra Port	Tuna-Anjar	.....	...
		Bijapur Agency	,,	.....	...
		Cambay Port	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Cambay State	,,	.....	...
		Mandvi Port	Tuna-Anjar	.....	...
		Jakhau Port	,,	.....	...
		Cutch State	,,	21	17
		Savanur ,,	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Bhor ,,	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Mangrol Port	B.-G.-J.-P.	.....	...
		Mahuwa ,,	,,	.....	...
		Jafarabad ,,	,,	.....	...
		Vawania ,,	,, (Morvi Sec.)	.....	...
		Jamnagar Town and Port	,,	5	3
		Verawal Port	,,	.....	...
		Bhavnagar Town and Port	,,	.....	...
		Kathiawar Agency	B., B. & C. I., Morvi & B.-G.-J.-P.	71	50
		Kolhapur and Southern Maratha Country.	Madras & S. M.	134	64
		Sachin State	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Dharampur State	,,	.....	...
		Shrivardhan Port	G. I. P. & S. M.	.....	...
		Murud ,,	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Mandgaon ,,	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Rajapuri ,,	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Janjira ,,	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Janjira State	,,	.....	...
		Bet Port	B.-G.-J.-P.	.....	...
		Dwarka Port	,,	.....	...
		Baroda City	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Bilimora Port	,,	.....	...
		Kodinar ,,	B.-G.-J.-P.	5	3
		Baroda State	B., B. & C. I.	28	16
		Satara Agency	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Jath State	,,	.....	...
		Poona Agency	,,	.....	...
		Surat Agency	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Aden		.....	...
			TOTAL	946	617

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Madras Presidency.		Madras City	Madras & S. M. & S. I.	.....	...
		Anantapur District	,,	2	3
		Salem District	,,	10	10
		Bellary Town	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Bellary Cantonment	,,	.....	...
		Bellary District	,,	1 (a)	2 (a)
		Malabar District	,,	2	2
		Kurnool ,,	,,	.....	...
		North Arcot District	S. I. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Cuddalore Port	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Mangalore ,,	,,	17	16
		Tinnevelly District	S. I.	.....	...
		Cuddapah ,,	Madras & S. M. & S. I.	.....	...
		Madura ,,	S. I.	.....	...
		Vizagapatam Port	B. N. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Vizagapatam District	,, ,,	.....	...
		Coimbatore ,,	Madras & S.M., S. I. & Nilgiri	185 (b)	113 (c)
		Ganjam District	B. N.	.....	...
	...	South Canara District	S. I. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Ootacamund Town	,,	1	1
		Nilgiris District	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Chingleput ,,	S. I. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Godavari ,,	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Cannanore Port	,,	2	3
		Tanjore District	S. I.	.....	...
		Trichinopoly ,,	,,	.....	...
		Cochin State	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		South Arcot District	,,	.....	...
		Nellore District	,,	.....	...
		Bimlipatam Port	,,	.....	...
		Calingapatam ,,	,,	.....	...
		Coconada ,,	,,	.....	...
		Gopalpur ,,	B. N.	.....	...
		Calicut ,,	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Sandur State	,,	.....	...
			TOTAL	220	150
Bengal.	Presidency.	Calcutta	E. I., E. B. S. & B. N.	15	15
		Jessore District	,,	.....	...
		Nadia ,,	,,	.....	...
		Murshidabad District	,, & E. I.	.....	...
		Khulna District	,,	.....	...

(a) Imported. (b) Three imported. (c) Two imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BENGAL.	Burdwan	Midnapore District	B. N.	.....	...
		Burdwan „	E. I.	.....	...
		Hooghly District	„	.....	...
		Howrah Town	E. I. & B. N.	.....	...
		Howrah District	E. I.	.....	...
		Birbhum „	„	.....	...
		Bankura „	B. N.	.....	...
	Patna	Gaya Town	E. I.	.....	...
		Gaya District	„	.....	...
		Muzaffarpur District	B. & N.-W.	.....	...
		Darbhanga District	„	5	2
		Shahabad „	E. I.	.....	...
		Dinapore	„	.....	...
		Patna City	„	.....	...
		Patna District	„	.....	...
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr Town	E. I.	.....	...
		Monghyr District	„	.....	...
		Darjeeling District	D. H.	.....	...
		Bhagalpur Town	E. I.	.....	...
		Bhagalpur District	„ & B. & N.-W.	.....	...
		Purnea „	E. B. S.	.....	...
		Santhal Parganas District	E. I.	.....	...
	Chota Nagpur.	Palamau District	E. I.	.....	...
		Manbhum District	E. I. & B. N.	.....	...
		Singhbhum District	B. N.	.....	...
		Hazaribagh „	E. I.	.....	...
		Gangpur State	B. N.	.....	...
	Orissa	Cuttack District	B. N.	.....	...
		Sambalpur „	„	.....	...
			TOTAL	20	17

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces.	Meerut	Dehra Dun District	O. & R.	.....	...
		Meerut City	N. W.	.....	...
		Meerut Cantonment	„	.....	...
		Meerut District	„ O. & R. & E. I.	.....	...
		Muzaffarnagar City	„	.....	...
		Muzaffarnagar District	„	.....	...
		Aligarh City	E. I. & O. R.	.....	...
		Koil City	„	.....	...
		Hathras City	B., B. & C. I. & E. I.	.....	...
		Aligarh District	E. I. & O. & R.	.....	...
		Saharanpur City	O. & R. & N. W.	.....	...
		Hardwar Union	„	.....	...
		Roorkee Town	„	.....	...
		Saharanpur District	„ & N. W.	.....	...
		Bulandshahr „	E. I.	.....	...
	Agra	Etawah City	E. I.	.....	...
		Etawah District	„	.....	...
		Fatehgarh	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Furrukhabad Town	„ „ & E. I.	.....	...
		Furrukhabad District	„ „ „	.....	...
		Mainpuri District	E. I.	.....	...
		Agra City	B., B. & C. I., G. I. P. & E. I.	.....	...
		Agra District	„ „ „ „	.....	...
		Etah „	„	1	1
		Muttra City	„ & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Muttra District	„ „	.....	...
	Rohilkhand	Bareilly City	R. & K. & O. & R.	.....	...
		Bareilly District	„ „	.....	...
		Shahjahanpur City	„ „	.....	...
		Shahjahanpur District	„ „	.....	...
		Budaun District	O. & R. & B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Bijnor Town	„	.....	...
		Bijnor District	„	.....	...
		Moradabad City	„ & R. K.	.....	...
		Moradabad District	„ „	.....	...
		Pilibhit District	R. K.	.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces.	Allahabad.	Allahabad City	E. I. & O. & R.	.....	...
		Allahabad District	„ „	.....	...
		Cawnpur City	„ „ B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.)	.....	...
		Cawnpur District	„ „ „ „	.....	...
		Fatehpur „	E. I.	.....	...
		Banda „	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.) & E. I.	.....	...
		Jhansi City	„ („)	.....	...
		Jhansi District	„ („)	.....	...
		Hamirpur „	„ („)	.....	...
		Jalaun „	„ („)	.....	...
	Benares.	Benares Cantonment	B. & N. W. & O. & R.	.....	...
		Benares City	„ „ „	.....	...
		Benares District	„ „ „ & E. I.	.....	...
		Ballia „	„	.....	...
		Jaunpur City	O. & R.	.....	...
		Jaunpur District	„ & B. & N. W.	9	6
		Ghazipur „	E. I. & B. & N W.	.....	...
		Mirzapur City	„	.....	...
		Mirzapur District	„ & O. & R.	.....	...
	Gorakhpur.	Azamgarh City	E. I.	.....	...
		Azamgarh District	„	2	2
		Gorakhpur City	B. & N. W.	.....	...
		Gorakhpur District	„	.....	...
		Basti District	„	.....	...
	Kumaun	Naini Tal District	O. & R.	.....	...
		Garhwal „	„	.....	...
	Lucknow.	Unao District	O. & R. & B. & N. W.	.....	...
		Lucknow City	„ „ & R. K.	.....	...
		Lucknow District	„ „	.....	...
		Hardoi „	„	.....	...
		Rae Bareli „	„	.....	...
		Sitapur „	R. K.	.....	...
		Kheri „	„	.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces.	Fyzabad.	Bahraich District	B. & N. W.	.....	...
		Gonda „	„	.....	...
		Partabgarh „	O. & R.	.....	...
		Sultanpur „	„	.....	...
		Ajodhya	„ & B. & N. W.	.....	...
		Fyzabad City	„	.....	...
		Fyzabad District	„	.....	...
		Bara Banki Town	B. & N. W. & O. & R.	.....	...
		Bara Banki District	„ „	.....	...
			TOTAL	12	9
	Delhi	Gurgaon District	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Hissar „	„ & N. W.	.....	...
		Karnal „	E. I.	.....	...
		Simla „	K. S.	.....	...
		Delhi District	E. I., N. W., O. & R., G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Ambala „	N. W. & E. I.	.....	...
		Ludhiana „	„	15	5
		Rohtak „	„	.....	...
Punjab.	Jullundur	Jullundur City	N. W.	.....	...
		Jullundur District	„	.....	...
		Hoshiarpur „	„	7	1
		Ferozepur „	„	.....	...
		Kangra „	„	.....	...
	Lahore.	Amritsar City	N. W.	.....	...
		Amritsar District	„	.....	...
		Gurdaspur „	„	.....	...
		Lahore City	„	.....	...
		Lahore District	„	.....	...
		Gujranwala District	„	.....	...
		Montgomery City	„	.....	...
		Montgomery District	„	.....	...
		Sialkot „	„	.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Rawalpindi.	Rawalpindi District	N. W.	.....	...
		Gujrat „	„	.....	...
		Shahpur „	„	.....	...
		Jhelum „	„	.....	...
		Attock „	„	.....	...
	Multan	Mianwali District	N. W.	.....	...
		Lyallpur „	„	.....	...
		Jhang „	„	.....	...
		Muzaffargarh „	„	.....	...
		Multan „	„	.....	...
...	...	Patiala City	Rajpura-Bhatinda (N. W. Ry.)	.....	...
		Patiala State	N.W., E.I., B., B. & C. I.& J. B.	.....	...
		Maler Kotla State	„	.....	...
		Jind „	„	.....	...
		Nalagarh „	„	.....	...
		Nabha „	„	.....	...
		Bahawalpur „	„	.....	...
			TOTAL	22	6
BURMA	Pegu	Rangoon Town	Burma	22	22
		Hanthawaddy District	„	.....	...
		Pegu „	„	1	1
		Tharrawaddy „	„	5	4
		Prome „	„	.....	...
	Irrawaddy	Maubin District	Burma	.....	...
		Bassein „	„	.....	...
		Henzada „	„	5	5
		Pyapon „	„	2	2
		Myaungmya „	„	1	1

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BURMA.	Tenasserim.	Toungoo District	Burma	.....	...
		Thaton „	„	.....	...
		Moulmein Town	„		5
		Amherst (Moulmein) District	„	2	2
		Tavoy District	„	.....	...
	Magwe	Thayetmyo District	Burma	.....	...
		Pakokku „	„	.....	...
		Minbu „	„	.....	...
		Magwe „	„	.....	...
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town	Burma	1	1
		Maymyo Town	„	.....	...
		Mandalay District	„	.....	...
		Myitkyina „	„	.....	...
		Bhamo „	„	.....	...
	Sagaing	Shwebo District	Burma	.....	...
		Lower Chindwin (Monywa) District	„	.....	...
		Sagaing District	„	.....	...
	Meiktila	Myingyan District	Burma	.....	...
		Yamethin „	„	1	1
		Kyaukse „	„	.....	...
		Meiktila „	„	.....	...
		Northern Shan States		.....	...
			TOTAL	47	44
EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM.	Rajshahi	Pabna District	E. B. S.	.....	...
		Malda „	„	.....	...
	Assam Valley Districts.	Goalpara „	„	.....	...
	Dacca	Dacca Town	„	.....	...
		Dacca District	„	.....	...
		Faridpur District	„	.....	...
		Manipur State		.....	...
			TOTAL	.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL PROVINCES (INCLUDING BERAR).	Nagpur	Nagpur City	B. N. & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Kamptee Cantonment	B. N.	.....	...
		Kamptee Town	„	.....	...
		Nagpur District	B. N. & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Wardha Town	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Wardha District	„	.....	...
		Chanda Town	„	.....	...
		Chanda District	„	.....	...
		Bhandara Town	B. N.	.....	...
		Bhandara District	„	.....	...
		Balaghat Town	„	.....	...
		Balaghat District	„	.....	...
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore Town	E. I. & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Jubbulpore Cantonment	„ „	.....	...
		Jubbulpore District	„ „	.....	...
		Damoh Town	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.)	.....	...
		Damoh District	„ („)	.....	...
		Sangor Cantonment	„ („)	.....	...
		Saugor Town	„ („)	.....	...
		Saugor District	„ („)	.....	...
		Chappara Town	„ („)	.....	...
		Seoni Town	B. N.	.....	...
		Seoni District	„	.....	...
		Mandla „	„	.....	...
	Nerbudda	Khandwa Town	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Burhanpur „	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Nimar District	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	1 (a)	1 (a)
		Pachmari	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Hoshangabad Town	„	.....	...
		Hoshangabad District	„	.....	...
		Narsingpur Town	„	.....	...
		Narsingpur District	„	.....	...
		Betul „	„	32 (b)	30 (b)
		Chhindwara Town	„	.....	...
		Chhindwara District	B. N.	.....	...
	Chhattisgarh.	Drug Town	B. N.	.....	...
		Drug District	„	.....	...
		Bilaspur Town	„	.....	...
		Bilaspur District	„	.....	...
		Raipur Town	„	.....	...
		Raipur District	„	.....	...

(a) Imported. (b) One imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL PROVINCES (INCLUDING BERAR).	Berar	Akola Town	G. I. P.	1 (a)	1 (a)
		Akola District	"	.....	...
		Buldana Town	"	.....	...
		Buldana District	"	24	12
		Yeotmal Town	"	.....	...
		Yeotmal District	"	.....	...
		Ellichpur City	"	.....	...
		Amraoti Town	"	21	15
		Amraoti District	"	1 (a)	1 (a)
			TOTAL	80	60
MYSORE STATE.	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	Madras & S. M.	10	8
		Bangalore City	"	.....	...
		Bangalore District	"	58	45
		Mysore City	"	.....	...
		Mysore District	"	81	56
		Kadur "	"	78	52
		Hassan "	"	41	34
		Kolar "	"	30	17
		Kolar Gold Fields	"	.....	...
		Tumkur District	"	19	11
		Shimoga "	"	8	7
		Chitaldroog "	"	.....	...
			TOTAL	325	230
HYDERABAD STATE.	...	Usmanabad District	G. I. P. & Barsi	18 (b)	12 (b)
		Raichur "	G. I. P. & Madras & S. M.	78 (b)	82 (b)
			TOTAL	96	94

(a) Imported.

(b) Figures for the period from 18th to 24th August 1908.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
		Indore City	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Indore State	„ & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Indore Residency	„	.....	...
		Ujjain City	„ & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Gwalior „	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Gwalior State (portion in Bhopal)	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Dhar State	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.) & Gwalior	.....	...
		Pathari „	„ („)	.....	...
		Malwa Agency	Rajputana-Malwa	.....	...
		Sundersi Pergana (in the Bhopal Agency)		.....	...
		Nagode State		.....	...
		Bhopal City	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Bhopal State	„	.....	...
		Shahjahanpur Town		.....	...
		Guaranteed Holdings in Bhopal Agency	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Maksudangarh State	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.)	.....	...
		Mhow Cantonment	B., B. & C. I. (Rajputana-Malwa)	.....	...
		Neemuch „	„	.....	...
		Orchha State	„	.....	...
		Rutlam City	„	.....	...
		Rutlam State	„	4 (a)	3 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Dewas Town	„	.....	...
		Dewas State	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Narsingharh State	„	.....	...
		Guaranteed Holdings in Malwa Agency		.....	...
		Tonk State (portion in Central India)	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Baghelkhand Agency States	E. I. & B. N.	.....	...
		Rewa Town		.....	...
		Rewa State	E. I.	.....	...
		Sehore Cantonment	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Sehore State	„	.....	...
		Datia City	„	.....	...
		Datia State	„	.....	...
		Sailana Town	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Sailana State	„	5	4
		Sitamau „	„	... (a)	... (a)
		Piploda	„	6	5
		Bagli „	„	.....	...
		Jhabua „	„	.....	...
		Jaora Town	„	.....	...
		Jaora State	„	.....	...

(a) Figures for the week ending 22nd August 1908.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Agar Military Station	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Manpur	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Rajgarh State	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Kurwai ,,	,,	.....	...
		Barwani State	,, & B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
			TOTAL	15	12
RAJPUTANA AND AJMER-MERWARA.	...	Bharatpur State	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Mewar State	,,	.....	...
		Partabgarh State	,,	.....	...
		Chitor (Udaipur) State	,,	.....	...
		Tonk State	,,	.....	...
		Marwar State (Jodhpur)	J. B.	.....	...
		Jaipur City	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Jaipur State	,,	.....	...
		Kishangarh Town	,,	.....	...
		Bikaner State	J. B.	.....	...
		Jhalawar ,,	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Kotah ,,	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Sirohi ,,	,,	.....	...
		Shahpura ,,	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Dholpur ,,	,,	.....	...
		Alwar City	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Alwar State	,,	.....	...
		Beawar	,,	.....	...
		Karauli State	,,	.....	...
		Banswara Town	,,	.....	...
		Banswara State	,,	.....	...
		Ajmer City	,,	.....	...
		Ajmer District	,,	.....	...
		Deoli	,,	.....	...
		Abu Road	,,	.....	...
		Ajmer-Merwara District	,,	.....	...
			TOTAL	.....	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu City	N. W.	.....	...
		Jammu District	,,	.....	...
		Mirpur ,,	,,	.....	...
		Kathua ,,	,,	.....	...
			TOTAL	.....	...
				.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	Abbottabad Town	N. W.	.....	...
		Hazara District	„	.....	...
		Bannu „		.....	...
		Kohat Cantonment	N. W.	.....	...
		Kohat Town	„	.....	...
		Kohat District	„	.....	...
		Dera Ismail Khan Town	„	.....	...
		Dera Ismail Khan Cantonment	„	.....	...
		Dera Ismail Khan District	„	.....	...
		Peshawar Town	„	.....	...
		Peshawar Cantonment	„	.....	...
		Nowshera „	„	.....	...
		Peshawar District	„	.....	...
		Khyber Agency		...	...
			TOTAL	.....	...
BALU-CHISTAN.	...	Sonmiani	N. W.	.....	...
		Hirok	„	.....	...
		Sibi	„	.....	...
		Fort Sandeman	„	.....	...
		Las Bela State	„	.....	...
			TOTAL	.....	...
			GRAND TOTAL	1,783	1,239

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Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 3rd September 1908, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

The depression over the north of the Bay, noted in last week's summary, moved in a northwesterly direction coalescing on the 2nd with a depression which was lying over Rajputana from the 29th, and by the morning of the 3rd it was in the southwest Punjab. The storm gave widespread rainfall over the whole of northern and central India except the northern districts of northeast India, the northeast of the United Provinces, Gujarat and Sind, and as it was passing through Bundelkhand heavy rain fell in this area and the adjacent districts to the south. Again on reaching Rajputana the combined depression was the cause of very heavy rain in Rajputana and in many parts of upper India, especially in the west. On the 1st an area of low pressure appeared over the Bay and at the close of the week an extensive area of low pressure extended northwards from the southwest of the Bay through the east of the Peninsula into the United Provinces. The effect of this distribution was to cause an almost complete break in the central parts of the country and the United Provinces, and widespread rainfall over the Madras Presidency and Hyderabad.

Burma.—Rain fell in all parts of the province and was most widespread on the 29th. Skies were moderately to heavily clouded and temperature was normal on most days of the week.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Rain occurred chiefly in deltaic Bengal, Orissa and Chota Nagpur, and on the 1st and 2nd weather was dry over the greater part of the division. Cloud was light to heavy and temperature was nearly normal except for a defect in the day time, shown chiefly in Chota Nagpur.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Rainfall occurred in all parts of the division, but more especially in the east of Central India and the surrounding districts. Skies were lightly to moderately clouded in the United Provinces and moderately to heavily overcast elsewhere. Day temperature was on most days of the week in defect in the Central Provinces and Central India.

Northwest India.—Rain fell chiefly in Rajputana, the Punjab and the North-West Frontier Province, and was heavy in parts of these areas. Skies were moderately to heavily clouded in the regions of rainfall and in Gujarat, and lightly clouded elsewhere. Temperature was normal or in defect, the deficiency being shown chiefly in the maximum and occurring principally in the north.

The Peninsula.—The rainfall of the week was comparatively light and occurred in all parts of the division. Cloud was moderate in amount and temperature was normal.

The following summarises the chief rainfall amounts of the week as reported at 8 hrs. each day:—

August 28th. Moulmein 4·10″, Rangoon 4·23″, Minbu 1·03″, Yamethin 1·42″, Monywa 1·30″, Burdwan 2·26″, Jhansi 2·23″, Cawnpore 2·35″, Agra 2·54″, Dehra Dun 3·30″, Chakrata 2·06″, Sutna 2·15″, Pendra 3·20″, Raipur 2·45″, Jubbulpore 2·35″ and Delhi 2·30″.

" 29th. Mandalay 0·85″, Nagpur 2·38″, Sialkot 3·90″, Jaipur 2·81″, Sambhar 2·23″, Ajmer 3·15″, Hanumkonda 3·37″ and Gopalpur 2·29″.

August 30th. Barisal 2·61″, Mymensingh 1·90″ and Sambalpur 3·92″.

„ 31st. Yamethin 2·63″, Hazaribagh 2·37″, Nowgong 2·64″, Sutna 2·07″, Saugor 10·80″, Jubbulpore 3·45″, Montgomery 3·87″ and Sialkot 3·96″.

September 1st. Thayetmyo 2·30″, Jhansi 2·43″, Nowgong 4·50″, Sialkot 2·12″, Jaipur 2·36″ and Kotah 4·30″.

„ 2nd. Khushab 2·70″, Multan 3·12″, Peshawar 1·85″, Cherat 4·30″, Dera Ismail Khan 2·00″, Jodhpur 7·48″ and Salem 1·92″.

„ 3rd. Dhubri 5·75″, Dinajpur 2·31″, Cherat 2·15″, Bikaner 2·15″, Pendra 3·10″, Hanumkonda 2·69″, Tinnevelly 3·15″ and Madura 2·98″.

The week's rainfall was very much above the average in upper India and Rajputana and the already existing excess in the season's rainfall there has been largely increased. It was less than usual in Eastern Bengal and Assam, Bihar and over the whole of the Peninsula, except in Madras, where the rainfall of the last two days of the week had the effect of making the monsoon rainfall normal in southeast Madras.

DIVISION.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 3RD SEPTEMBER 1908.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 1ST MAY 1908 TO 3RD SEPTEMBER 1908.				
	Average actual rainfall in inches.	Average normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Average actual rainfall of season to date in inches.	Average normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	SEASONAL PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL. This week.	SEASONAL PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL. Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Stations in the Bay	4·1	3·9	+0·2	99·0	67·1	+ 31·9	+ 48	+ 50
Lower Burma	7·4	5·8	+1·6	117·7	109·5	+ 8·2	+ 7	+ 6
Upper Burma	3·0	1·6	+1·4	28·5	29·2	— 0·7	— 2	— 8
Assam	1·8	3·4	—1·6	58·9	63·2	— 4·3	— 7	— 5
Eastern Bengal	1·9	3·3	—1·4	47·0	60·8	— 13·8	— 23	— 22
Bengal	2·5	2·4	+0·1	49·9	42·8	+ 7·1	+ 17	+ 17
Orissa	4·1	2·2	+1·9	50·6	44·2	+ 6·4	+ 14	+ 11
Chota Nagpur	3·5	2·0	+1·5	41·3	39·2	+ 2·1	+ 5	+ 2
Bihar	0·6	2·9	—2·3	18·7	39·0	— 20·3	— 52	— 50
United Provinces, East	2·0	2·5	—0·5	26·1	33·2	— 7·1	— 21	— 21
United Provinces, West	3·6	2·7	+0·9	38·9	35·1	+ 3·8	+ 11	+ 9
Punjab, East and North	3·4	1·3	+2·1	28·3	19·2	+ 9·1	+ 47	+ 40
Punjab, South-west	5·5	0·2	+5·3	17·7	7·4	+ 10·3	+139	+ 69
Kashmir	1·3	0·1	+1·2	6·2	4·3	+ 1·9	+ 44	+ 17
N.-W. Frontier Province	3·4	0·3	+3·1	8·8	5·1	+ 3·7	+ 73	+ 10
Baluchistan	0	0	0	0·5	1·2	— 0·7	— 58	— 58
Sind	0	0·1	—0·1	9·3	4·8	+ 4·5	+ 94	+ 98
Rajputana, West	7·4	0·6	+6·8	25·0	10·0	+ 15·0	+150	+ 87
Rajputana, East	6·4	1·6	+4·8	32·5	19·4	+ 13·1	+ 68	+ 47
Gujarat	0·1	0·7	—0·6	27·2	22·1	+ 5·1	+ 23	+ 27
Central India, West	1·0	1·9	—0·9	24·0	24·4	— 0·4	— 2	+ 3
Central India, East	7·8	2·3	+5·5	43·6	36·2	+ 7·4	+ 20	+ 6
Berar	0·3	1·6	—1·3	26·1	23·8	+ 2·3	+ 10	+ 16
Central Provinces, West	5·1	2·6	+2·5	38·1	37·9	+ 0·2	+ 1	— 7
Central Provinces, East	2·5	2·8	—0·3	44·4	40·7	+ 3·7	+ 9	+ 11
Konkan	2·6	3·7	—1·1	91·1	83·5	+ 7·6	+ 9	+ 11
Bombay Deccan	0·2	1·2	—1·0	16·1	17·5	— 1·4	— 8	— 2
Hyderabad, North	0·6	2·4	—1·8	21·9	23·2	— 1·3	— 6	+ 3
Hyderabad, South	1·2	1·6	—0·4	14·7	18·2	— 3·5	— 19	— 20
Mysore	0·3	1·0	—0·7	14·0	14·5	— 0·5	— 3	+ 1
Malabar	2·0	2·1	—0·1	83·1	75·2	+ 7·9	+ 11	+ 11
Madras, South-east	1·7	0·9	+0·8	8·3	9·4	— 1·1	— 12	— 22
Madras Deccan	1·0	1·2	—0·2	7·9	13·2	— 5·3	— 40	— 43
Madras Coast, North	1·4	1·4	0	13·5	17·4	— 3·9	— 22	— 25

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 29th August 1908.

Burma.—The rainfall has been general throughout the Province being heavy in Lower Burma and moderate in the upper part of the Province. Districts which had hitherto been suffering most from drought got fair rain. In Lower Burma transplanting of winter rice is nearly completed. In Upper Burma reaping of early sesamum and other autumn crops is progressing and cultivation for *juar* is getting on satisfactorily. The condition of standing crops in Lower Burma is good. In Upper Burma standing crops are fair and prospects are much improved by recent rain. The price of unhusked rice is stationary.

Eastern Bengal and Assam.—A moderate amount of rain fell during the week but it was very unevenly distributed. In some places the fall was heavy while in others it was insignificant. Deficiency of rain and lowness of rivers is seriously affecting prospects of the winter rice crop in all parts of the Province, except Backarganj, Noakhali, the Surma Valley and the greater portion of Upper Assam. It is reported that scarcity is apprehended in some parts of Dinajpur, Rangpur and Bogra. In Dinajpur a small relief work was opened where from 300 to 400 people have sought employment. The price of common rice has risen above those of last week at 21 stations and has fallen at only 7. The average for the Province is, however, slightly lower than at the corresponding date of last year. Prospects of jute are also growing worse owing to lack of water for retting. Prospects of tea are good in Upper Assam and Jalpaiguri and moderate in Kamrup and Cachar. Cattle disease is prevalent in Tippera, Noakhali, Goalpara, Kamrup, Darrang, Nowgong and the Khasi Hills.

Bengal.—The rainfall was heavy in the 24-Parganas, Nadia, Patna, Shahabad, Darjeeling, Balasore, Puri, Sambalpur and in parts of Murshidabad and Muzaffarpur; moderate in the Burdwan and Chota Nagpur divisions and also in parts of Khulna, Gaya, Champaran, Monghyr, the Sonthal Parganas and Cuttack and light in other districts. The rainfall during the week under report in South Bihar and in parts of Muzaffarpur, Champaran, Monghyr and the Sonthal Parganas has done much good to the standing autumn crops and has enabled the *rayats* to transplant some more paddy but more rain is urgently wanted in North Bihar and in the Bhagalpur division both for transplantation of paddy and for standing crops. Transplantation of paddy is nearly over in Bengal Proper, Orissa and Chota Nagpur. Harvesting of jute has commenced but steeping is being retarded in Cooch Bihar for want of water. Harvesting of autumn paddy has commenced in some districts. Sugarcane is doing well Prospects of jute are fair, except in Howrah, the 24-Parganas, Nadia, Jessore, Khulna, Darjeeling and Cooch Bihar. Damage by insect pests is still reported from Burdwan and the 24-Parganas. Paddy plants on low lands in Cuttack and in the Chandbali and Dhamnagar thanas of Balasore are still flooded. The price of common rice has risen in Darbhanga, Cuttack, Sambalpur and Manbhum and has fallen in Nadia, Saran, Balasore, Hazaribagh and Ranchi. Stocks of food-grain are insufficient in Nadia, Murshidabad, Balasore and Palamau. Cattle disease is reported from Purnea, Hazaribagh, Ranchi and Palamau. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Test works have again been opened in Bankura. The number of persons on test works in Nadia, Cuttack, Balasore, Angul, Puri, Hazaribagh and Ranchi was 7,070. The number of persons on gratuitous relief was 31,862 of whom 16,584 are in Orissa. The number of persons on famine relief works in Ranchi was 8,041.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows:—*Ranchi district.*—In the declared area, workers exclusive of dependants, 7,880; on gratuitous relief (*a*) dependants of workers *nil*; (*b*) in poor-houses or kitchens *nil* and (*c*) on village doles 6,091. Grand total on relief 13,971. There is some decrease in the numbers on works owing to harvesting of the *gundli* crop. Prospects of crops are good. Prices 5 to 6 seers per rupee.

United Provinces.—The rainfall has been heaviest in the Allahabad division and has exceeded two inches in all districts of the Province except Bahraich and Gonda. The largest falls were:—in Jalaun, Cawnpore and Fatehpur over eight inches; Banda, Hamirpur, Bulandshahr and Moradabad seven inches; Jhansi, Farrukhabad, Etawah, Mainpuri, Naini Tal and Dehra Dun six inches. Floods have done damage in the Meerut and Agra divisions, the damage being serious in Muttra. Agricultural operations are at a stand-still in Bundelkhand and crops on black soil areas have been injured by excessive rain. Floods have also done some damage in Ballia. More rain is urgently required in the Nanpara and Bahraich tahsils of Bahraich where the rainfall has been scanty and badly distributed. The crops in these tahsils are withering. More rain is also needed in Bara Banki, Gonda, Kheri, Sultanpur and Gorakhpur. Elsewhere autumn prospects are

good. Weeding of autumn crops and ploughing of land for spring sowings are in progress. Some late sowings of *bajra* have been made. Maize, *sawan* and *kakun* are ripening and are being cut in several districts. Prices have fallen in twelve districts but are still very high. The condition of agricultural stock is generally satisfactory. Sporadic cattle disease is reported from several districts. Fodder and water are sufficient.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows:—Relief operations have been considerably reduced. All works have now been closed in Kheri and Bahraich and valedictory doles for a month have been given to the remaining workers. All gratuitous relief also has either been closed or is closing with valedictory doles but the numbers are still shown on relief until the period for which the dole is given ends. A few poor-houses still remain open and some aided works are being completed in Banda. The special subsistence *takavi* to field workers will shortly be closed with a parting advance. The numbers relieved on the last day of the week are less by over 48,000 than in the previous week. The condition of the people is satisfactory. Fever is prevalent to some extent and cholera continues in a few districts. Quinine is being widely distributed free of cost. There are 2,664 persons on private relief. The numbers on Government relief are:—on relief works 22,845; dependants 248; on aided works 1,831; on gratuitous relief 367,303; in poor-houses 1,631; total 393,918. The largest total figures are:—Kheri 94,402; Gonda 75,102; Bahraich 45,830; Mirzapur 43,294; Sitapur 30,587. Prices:—Garhwal 5; Almora 6¾; Bundelkhand 9½ to 10$\frac{3}{16}$; Mirzapur 3 to 10; Kheri 10; elsewhere 11 to 13½ seers per rupee.

Punjab.—Heavy rain fell in all districts except the western districts of the Province where light to moderate rain was received. Prices are generally falling. Wheat sells dearer than scarcity rates in Rohtak, Jullundur, Amritsar and Jhang. Other food-grains are generally at or above scarcity rates. Sowings of autumn crops and ploughings for spring crops continue in some districts. *Toria* is being sown in Lahore and Lyallpur. The condition of standing crops is generally good to average. A break in the rains is absolutely necessary. Crops have been damaged by heavy rain in Rohtak, Gurgaon, Ferozepore, Lahore and Amritsar. Rats are damaging crops in Gujranwala and Shahpur. Cattle are generally in good condition. Green grass is plentiful throughout the Province. There are no complaints regarding the water-supply.

North-West Frontier Province.—Good rain fell all over the Province, averaging 1 cent to 2·60 inches, greatly benefiting standing crops and autumn sowings. Zemindars are busy cultivating lands for spring crops. The condition of standing crops on irrigated and unirrigated areas is average and the outturn is expected to be the same. An insect locally known as *peeshoogai* has appeared in 5 villages of the Peshawar tahsil and is damaging cotton, *moong* and *juar* crops. Pasturage and water are sufficient. There is good irrigation from all the canals in the Province and from river inundation and hill torrents in the Dera Ismail Khan district. Floods in rivers are generally diminishing. The public health is generally good but seasonable fever is still prevalent in the Charsadda and Mardan tahsils. Cholera exists in three villages of the Mardan and Swabi tahsils. The condition of cattle is generally good except in some villages of the Charsadda and Bannu tahsils and in three villages of the Nowshera tahsil. Prices of food-grains are stationary. Prices:—wheat 9⅞ to 13; gram 10$\frac{1}{16}$ to 14; maize 11⅝ to 17 and *bajra* 11 to 14 seers per rupee.

Jammu.—There was heavy rain during the week. Prices are stationary. Wheat is selling from 7 to 14 and maize from 8½ to 18 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is fair. Fodder is sufficient.

Kashmir.—The weather was rainy almost throughout the week. The rain did good to autumn crops especially to *shali*. Prospects of spring cultivation are bettered. Standing crops are in good condition. The condition of cattle is fair. Fodder is sufficient. Prices are not rising.

Rājputana.—Rain continues to be reported from almost all places, the maximum fall being 12·27 inches at Bharatpur. There was slight rain in Mewar and *nil* in Jaisalmer. Standing crops, especially maize, have been damaged by excessive rain throughout Rajputana except in Bikaner, Jaisalmer, Partabgarh, Shahpura, Tonk and Bundi. The damage is slight in Marwar, Jhalawar and Jaipur but it is estimated at ten annas in the rupee in the Todgarh tahsil of Merwara. Weeding and further sowings are also retarded from the same cause. Cattle disease is prevalent in two districts of Mewar and a few villages of Merwara. Fodder is ample. Prices have fallen in Marwar but have risen in Kotah, Tonk and Shahpura. They are steady or practically steady elsewhere.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was general. A break is urgently needed in Gwalior, Bhopal and Bundelkhand. *Urd* and *til* are being sown in Baghelkhand. Weeding is in progress elsewhere. Land is being prepared for spring crops in Bhopawar. Operations have been stopped owing to incessant and heavy rains in Gwalior and parts of Bhopal, Bundelkhand and Indore. Damage to crops is reported from Gwalior, Bhopal, Bundelkhand and parts of Indore owing to continuous rain. Agricultural stock is fair to good. Cattle disease is prevalent in parts of Indore, Bhopal, Bundelkhand and Bhopawar. Prices are falling slightly in Indore and are high but steady elsewhere.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows:—The situation is unaltered. Prices are the same as reported last week. The numbers on relief are:—Rewa—on works 1,201; on gratuitous relief 983; total 2,184. In Indore State—on works *nil*; on gratuitous relief 5,271. In the Bundelkhand Agency—on works *nil*; on gratuitous relief 252. In the Bhopawar Agency, Manpur—on works *nil*; on gratuitous relief 79. In the Gwalior Residency Area—on works 47; on gratuitous relief 18. Grand total—on works 1,248; on gratuitous relief 6,603; total on both kinds of relief 7,851.

Central Provinces.—Moderate to heavy rain was received all over the Provinces except in Nimar and three districts of Berar. The rainfall measured from 7 to 14 inches in Saugor, Jubbulpur, Narsinghpur, Damoh, Chhindwara, Bhandara, Balaghat and Raipur; from 1 to 5 inches in Mandla, Seoni, Hoshangabad, Betul, Chanda, Wardha, Drug, Bilaspur and Yeotmal and below 1 inch elsewhere. Late sowings of *til* and *kutki*, etc., have been retarded by continuous rain. Weeding operations are being pushed on when the weather permits. Transplantation and thinning operations are nearly completed. Preparation of land for winter crops is in progress in several districts. Excessive rain has slightly injured cotton, *juar* and *til* seedlings in Nimar, Betul, Nagpur, Bhandara, Amraoti and the northern districts; elsewhere they are generally in good condition. A break in the weather is needed and seems to have set in now. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Prices are almost steady.

Feudatory States.—The States also had general rain. The rainfall registered amounted from 8 to 13 inches in Korea, Jashpur, Sirguja and Raj-Nandgaon. Sakti received 4 inches and the remaining States 1½ inches. Transplantation, thinning and weeding operations continue. Preparation of land for winter crops has commenced in a few States. Standing crops are in good condition. A break is however needed for the growth of the young plants. Fodder and water are adequate. Prices are almost steady.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows:—During the week the rainfall again continued to be excessive and constant in the northern districts, slightly damaging standing crops and retarding preparation of land for spring sowings. A break which is now expected is much needed. Caterpillars are now disappearing and the crops damaged by them are recovering. Prospects of standing crops are favourable. Distress is slight and is decreasing though slowly. The numbers on village works in Damoh have fallen due to partial revival of agricultural operations. The numbers on contract works and on the Nagpur Itarsi Railway are steady. The numbers on village relief have risen further but are expected to fall soon. Weaver relief continues to expand in Nagpur and Chanda. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prices are steady. The public health is good. Relief measures are adequate. The general outlook is satisfactory. The numbers on relief are:—on works 587; weavers 15,104; on gratuitous relief 32,400; total 48,091.

Bombay.—The rain during the week was good in parts of the Konkan, Nasik, Kathiawar, Baroda and Mahi Kantha; moderate in parts of Thar and Parkar, Ahmedabad, Surat, West Khandesh, Poona, Satara, Belgaum, Cutch and Rewa Kantha and slight in parts of Karachi, Sukkur, Larkana, Hyderabad, the Upper Sind Frontier, the Panch Mahals, Kaira, Broach, East Khandesh, Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Bijapur, Dharwar and Palanpur. The rainfall is insufficient in the eastern portions of the Deccan and the Karnatak and sufficient elsewhere. Sowing continues in parts of the Panch Mahals, Kaira, Broach, Dharwar, Baroda, Palanpur, Rewa Kantha and Cutch. Standing crops have been slightly damaged by insects in parts of Larkana, Khandesh and Kathiawar; by rats in Karachi and are suffering on account of floods or excessive rain in parts of Karachi, Hyderabad, Ahmedabad, the Panch Mahals, Khandesh, Nasik, Satara and the Gujarat Native States and from want of moisture in parts of Ahmednagar, Poona and the Karnatak. Crops are in good condition elsewhere. Transplantation is progressing in parts of Ahmedabad, Kaira, Kanara, Nasik, Poona and Baroda. The supply of fodder is adequate except in parts of the Deccan and Bijapur. Agricultural stock is generally in good condition and sufficient except in parts of Karachi, the Deccan and Cutch. The supply of water for drinking as well as for irrigation is sufficient except in parts of Ahmednagar, Poona, Sholapur and Bijapur. Prices of food-grains have fallen slightly in Sind; have risen in the Deccan and are almost stationary elsewhere. The quantity purchasable per rupee is in Sind 28 to 42 per cent; in Gujarat 33 to 76 per cent; in the Konkan 23 to 34 per cent; in the Deccan 36 to 52 per cent and in the Karnatak 32 to 50 per cent less than the normal. Stocks of grain are generally adequate. Labourers get sufficient field employment and wages are normal. The cultivating and labouring classes are in fair condition. The daily average numbers on gratuitous relief are:—Panch Mahals 775; West Khandesh 1,809; Nasik 2,020; Ahmednagar 1,977; Poona 164; Sholapur 1,489; Bijapur 701 and Jath 88.

Hyderabad.—The rainfall during the week was 1 inch 8 cents. The autumn crop in most parts is in fair to good condition. Weeding continues. Early rice sowings continue but the area sown is limited owing to inadequate water in tanks. Lands contihue to be prepared for spring sowings and sowings have commenced in a few tracts. The condition of the Raichur district is critical. Autumn sowings are limited and the crop is reported to be withering. Rain is anxiously awaited. If an early fall is not received autumn crops will be a failure over a considerable area and spring sowings will be retarded. The talukas of Ashti in the Bir district and Deverkoonda in the Nalganda district are in a similar condition. There is water scarcity in 13 talukas and fodder scarcity in 14.

Cattle disease is reported in 10. Prices:—wheat 5½; coarse rice 6 and *juar* 11¾ seers per rupee. White *juar* is selling in Hyderabad City at 11 seers per rupee. Yellow *juar* is not available in the market. The highest price in districts is 8½ to 9 seers in ten talukas. The lowest price being 21 seers in the Khandar taluka of the Nander district.

Mysore.—The rain was fair in Kadur and Shimoga and slight elsewhere. Prices of food-grains are generally steady. Standing crops are in good condition but more rain is needed all over the State. Prospects of the season are fair. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available except in parts of Tumkur and Hassan where they are getting scanty.

Coorg.—Rainfall 4 inches 81 cents. Transplanting of rice continues. Prices of food-grains are high. The public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall was heavy in South Canara and the Vizagapatam Agency; good in Ganjam, Godavari, Malabar and Kistna; *nil* in Coimbatore and Tinnevelly and light to fair elsewhere. Irrigation supplies are insufficient in parts of all districts except Godavari, Guntur, Malabar, South Canara and the Nilgiris. Ploughing, sowing, weeding and transplanting are in progress in parts. Standing crops are generally fair but some in parts of the Deccan, Nellore, Central Madura and Tinnevelly are withering or require more rain. Harvests continue, except in Kistna, Guntur, Kurnool, Tanjore, Tinnevelly and South Canara with outturn poor to fair. Pasture is insufficient except in the Circars, Kurnool, Chingleput, Madras, Tanjore, Malabar, South Canara and the Nilgiris. Fodder is scanty in parts of the Circars, the Deccan and Trichinopoly. The condition of cattle is generally good. The price of rice is stationary in ten districts; has fallen in two and has risen in eleven. The prices of millets have fluctuated as follows:—*Ragi* is stationary in nine districts; has fallen in seven and has risen in five. *Cholam* is stationary in eight districts and has risen in six. *Cumbu* is stationary in seven districts; has fallen in three and has risen in five. The public health is generally good but cholera is prevalent in several districts, Malabar, Cuddapah and Anantapur being most affected. Prospects are generally fair but sowings are backward in most districts and rain is urgently required. The condition of the labouring classes is good and employment is procurable. Grain stocks are generally sufficient. The average number of Khonds relieved by doles in the Ganjam district is 214. The numbers relieved in the Bellary taluka are:—on test works 89¼; in the poor-house 62.

Statement showing the number of persons in receipt of relief:

Name of Province or State.	Preceding week. (Revised figures.)			Present week.			Increase or Decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
British Provinces.							
Bengal . . .	18,426	33,660	52,086	15,111	31,862	46,973	−5,113
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	57,243	385,597	442,840*	24,924	368,994	393,918†	−48,922
Central Provinces .	1,137	46,176	47,313	587	47,504	48,091	+778
Bombay . . .	...	9,023	9,023	...	8,935	8,935	−88
Madras . . .	916	215	1,131	894	276	1,170	+39
Total British Provinces.	77,722	474,671	552,393	41,516	457,571	499,087	−53,306
Native States.							
Central India States .	1,857	7,662	9,519	1,248	6,603	7,851	−1,668
Bombay Native States .	...	88	88	...	88	88	...
Total Native States	1,857	7,750	9,607	1,248	6,691	7,939	−1,668
GRAND TOTAL .	79,579	482,421	562,000	42,764	464,262	507,026	−54,974

* Excludes 2,537 persons relieved on private works.

† Excludes 2,664 persons relieved on private works.

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FAMINE.

Statement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Districts and Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India—(District details).

NOTE.—The figures are compiled from returns obtained from Local Governments and Political Officers, and give the corrected details of the totals reported in the telegraphic famine reports published weekly in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

Non-labouring children and other dependants of relief workers are classed under relief works when distinguished in the local returns from persons gratuitously relieved in poor-houses or at their houses. Weavers relieved in their own trade are shown under "village doles or other relief."

No.	Name of Provinces, Districts and Native States.	Area in Sq. miles.	Population.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 15TH AUGUST 1908.								
				Relief Works.			Number on test works.	Total on works.	Gratuitous Relief.			Grand Total.
				Workers.	Dependants.	Total.			Poor-houses or kitchens.	Village doles or other relief.	Total.	
	United Provinces.											
1	Muttra	1,444	763,099	...	...	...	..	...	...	6,397	6,397	6,397
2	Agra	1,853	1,060,546	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,021	1,021	1,021
3	Etawah	1,691	806,798	43	...	43	...	43	...	2,277	2,277	2,320
4	Cawnpore ...	2,366	1,258,868	...	...	...	...	...	6	457	463	463
5	Fatehpur... ...	1,631	686,391	...	...	...	...	...	...	964	964	964
6	Banda	3,061	631,058	166	...	166	...	166	68	21,375	21,443	21,609
7	Hamirpur ...	2,289	458,542	155	...	155	...	155	52	10,503	10,555	10,710
8	Allahabad ...	2,850	1,493,755	...	...	...	...	...	68	12,271	12,339	12,339
9	Jhansi	3,587	616,759	103	...	103	...	103	38	10,300	10,338	10,441
10	Jalaun	1,565	399,726	164	...	164	...	164	...	9,612	9,612	9,776
11	Mirzapur... ...	4,352	706,989	3,810	...	3,810	...	3,810	111	49,373	49,484	53,294
12	Jaunpur	1,550	1,202,920	4,381	...	4,381	...	4,381	...	5,977	5,977	10,358
13	Ballia	1,250	987,768	273	...	273	...	273	...	...	...	273
14	Family Domains ...	473	66,601	1,176	...	1,176	...	1,176	...	3,701	3,701	4,877
15	Basti	2,796	1,846,153	82	...	82	...	82	253	9,611	9,864	9,946
16	Azamgarh ...	2,199	1,548,174	...	...	...	...	...	...	716	716	716
17	Almora	5,416	465,893	1,890	...	1,890	...	1,890	...	1,150	1,150	3,040
18	Lucknow... ...	977	793,241	3	...	3	...	3	...	2,068	2,068	2,071
19	Sitapur	2,250	1,175,473	8,185	220	8,405	...	8,405	176	31,106	31,282	39,687
20	Hardoi	2,325	1,093,000	...	...	...	...	...	21	10,957	10,978	10,978
21	Kheri	2,963	905,138	23,456	...	23,456	...	23,456	141	76,794	76,935	100,391
22	Fyzabad	1,749	1,204,967	25	...	25	...	25	10	2,789	2,799	2,824
23	Gonda	2,651	1,403,195	849	...	849	...	849	336	79,330	79,666	80,515
24	Bahraich ...	2,316	1,048,856	20,180	15	20,195	...	20,195	463	82,557	83,020	103,215
25	Sultanpur ...	1,701	1,083,904	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,910	3,910	3,910
26	Bara Banki ...	1,757	1,179,323	...	...	...	...	...	47	12,712	12,759	12,759
27	Dehra Dun ...	1,193	178,195	252	...	252	...	252	...	281	281	533
28	Garhwal ...	5,629	429,900	461	...	461	...	461	...	3,165	3,165	3,626
	Total United Provinces	65,884	25,495,232	65,654	235	65,889	...	65,889	1,790	451,374	453,164	519,053
	Bombay.											
1	Panch Mahals ...	1,606	261,020	...	...	...	...	...	...	824	824	824
2	West Khandesh ...	10,041	1,427,382*	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,049	2,049	2,049
3	Nasik	5,850	413,386	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,020	2,020	2,020
4	Poona ...	5,349	995,330	...	...	...	...	...	...	160	160	160
5	Sholapur ...	4,541	720,977	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,489	1,489	1,489
6	Ahmednagar ...	6,586	837,695	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,977	1,977	1,977
7	Bijapur	5,669	735,435	...	...	...	...	...	...	727	727	727
	Total Bombay ...	39,642	5,391,225	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,246	9,246	9,246
	Bengal.											
1	Nadia	2,793	1,667,491	...	...	...	3,567	3,567	...	2,783	2,783	6,350
2	Cuttack	3,629	2,062,758	...	...	...	659	659	...	6,087	6,087	6,746
3	Balasore	2,059	1,071,197	...	...	...	428	428	...	5,687	5,687	6,115
4	Puri	2,472	1,017,284	...	...	...	1,289	1,289	...	2,637	2,637	3,926
5	Bankura	2,621	1,116,411	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,076	1,076	1,076
6	Ranchi	7,128	1,187,925	9,820	33	9,853	523	10,376	...	5,929	5,929	16,305
7	Hazaribagh ...	7,021	1,177,961	...	...	...	447	447	...	3,444	3,444	3,891
8	Angul	1,681	191,911	...	...	...	314	314	...	1,041	1,041	1,355†
9	Jessore	2,925	1,813,155	...	...	...	56	56	...	4,254	4,254	4,310
10	Burdwan	2,689	1,532,475	...	...	...	...	...	...	361	361	361
	Total Bengal ...	35,018	12,838,568	9,820	33	9,853	7,283	17,136	...	33,299	33,299	50,435

* The area and population have been taken for the District as a whole.

† Figures for the 8th August have been included as no figures were reported for this week.

Statement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Districts and Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India—(*District details*)—continued.

No.	Name of Provinces, Districts and Native States.	Area in Sq. miles.	Population.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 15TH AUGUST 1908.								
				Relief Works.			Number on test works.	Total on works.	Gratuitous Relief.			Grand Total.
				Workers.	Dependants.	Total.			Poor-houses or kitchens.	Village doles or other relief.	Total.	
	Central Provinces.											
1	Hoshangabad (portion)	1,250	194,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	609	609	6
2	Damoh (portion) ...	1,070	135,000	1,084	...	1,084	...	1,084	...	3,035	3,035	4,1
3	Nimar (portion) ...	724	86,000	4,425	...	4,425	...	4,425	...	982	982	5,4
4	Jubbulpore (portion) ...	2,700	372,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,337	10,337	10,3
5	Betul (portion) ...	266	50,000	...	...	...	...	...	115	1,447	1,562	1,5
6	Chhindwara (portion)...	2,874	240,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,707	2,707	2,7
7	Mandla (whole) ...	5,044	367,000	94	...	94	...	94	...	4,298	4,998	5,0
8	Seoni (portion) ...	1,658	184,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,333	2,333	2,3
9	Saugor (portion) ...	241	33,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,744	1,744	1,7
10	Nagpur (,,)...	18	200,000	10,337	...	10,337	...	10,337	...	272	272	10,6
11	Bhandara (,,)...	1,706	178,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	89	89	
12	Balaghat (,,)...	2,553	315,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	522	522	
13	Bilaspur (,,)...	910	91,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,714	1,714	1,7
14	Narsinghpur(,,)...	500	63,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	930	930	
15	Chanda (,,)...	7	18,000	138	...	138	...	138	...	...	...	
	Total Central Provinces	21,521	2,526,000	16,078	...	16,078	...	16,078	115	31,719	31,834	47,9
	Madras.											
1	Ganjam	8,372	2,010,256	...	...	...	...	...	...	245	245	2
2	Bellary taluk ...	962	193,401	...	...	...	973	973	...	...	...	9
	Total ...	9,334	2,203,657	...	...	...	973	973	...	245	245	1,2
	Total British Provinces	171,399	48,454,682	91,552	268	91,820	8,256	100,076	1,905	525,883	527,788	627,3
	Central India States.											
1	Rewa	13,000	1,327,385	1,500	...	1,500	...	1,500	...	1,000	1,000	2,5
2	Nagod	501	67,092	}								
3	Jaso	72	7,209	...	...	...	...	...	...	250	250	2
4	Baraunda... ...	217	15,724	}								
5	Kamta	4	1,000						43	118	161	161
6	Orchha	2,079	322,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	61	61	61
7	Alipura ... (Jagir)...	73	15,000	...	...	...	...	...	23	...	23	28
8	Tori Fatehpur (,,)...	36	7,000	5	...	5	...	5	...	65	65	
9	Manpur (British) ...	49	5,000	6	...	6	...	6	...	11,957	11,957	11,9
10	Indore	5,120	357,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	18	1
11	Gwalior Residency area	1	1,000	107	...	107	...	107	...			
	Total Central India States.	21,152	2,125,410	1,618	...	1,618	...	1,618	66	13,469	13,535	15,1
	Bombay States.											
	Jath	884	61,868	...	...	...	...	...	...	87	87	
	Total Bombay States...	884	61,868	...	...	...	...	...	...	87	87	
	Total Native States...	22,036	2,187,278	1,618	...	1,618	...	1,618	66	13,556	13,622	15,2
	Grand Total British Provinces and Native States.	193,435	50,641,960	93,170	268	93,438	8,256	101,694	1,971	539,439	541,410	643,0

* Figures for the 8th August have been included as no figures were reported for this week.
† Figures for the 18th July have been included as no figures were reported for this or the previous weeks.

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Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

RAILWAY BOARD.

STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column *Total earnings*, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

	Railways.	Average earnings per mile per week.		Results of working during 2nd-half of year.								Results of working for official year.			
				Mean mileage worked.		Total earnings for week ending		Earnings per mile open for week		Total earnings from 1st July to		Increase.	Decrease.	Total earnings from 1st April to		Increase.	Decrease.
		During 2nd-half of 1907.	During official year 1907-08.	1907.	1908.	24th August 1907.	22nd August 1908.	1907.	1908.	24th August 1907.	22nd August 1908.			24th August 1907.	22nd August 1908.		
		₹	₹	*Miles.*	*Miles.*	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹
	State and Guaranteed Railways.																
5′ 6″ gauge.	Bengal-Nagpur (including 2′ 6″ gauge lines)	244	264	2,038	2,119	3,57,325	3,45,000	175	163	37,72,570	30,36,000	...	7,36,570	1,14,46,801	99,51,000	...	14,95,801
	Bezwada extension	267	288	21	21	4,220	6,900	201	329	34,883	48,100	13,217	...	1,17,751	1,44,000	26,249	...
	Bombay, Baroda and Central India (incldg. V.-Wadhwan Section 3′ 3½″ gauge)	688	790	504	504	2,48,760	2,69,000	494	534	24,13,962	22,18,000	...	1,95,962	87,98,305	82,98,000	...	5,00,305
	Nagda-Muttra	29	37	101	139	2,463	1,900	24	14	(*a*) 14,958	29,400	14,442	...	(*a*)14,958	1,11,000	96,042	...
	Eastern Bengal (incldg. 3′ 3½″ and 2′ 6″ gauge lines)	442	399	1,268	1,274	5,33,524	5,30,000	421	416	34,74,164	32,80,000	...	1,94,164	88,20,887	90,17,000	1,96,113	...
	East Indian	635	681	2,321	2,328	13,50,897	14,95,000	582	642	1,15,26,331	1,17,23,000	1,96,669	...	3,27,59,706	3,23,73,000	...	3,86,706
	Great Indian Peninsula	551	626	1,569	1,606	5,77,419	5,88,000	368	366	52,57,418	47,18,000	...	5,39,418	1,97,80,840	1,64,89,000	...	32,91,840
	Agra-Delhi Chord	230	233	126	126	37,957	26,700	301	212	1,98,312	1,90,000	...	8,312	5,74,983	5,79,000	4,017	...
	Baran Kotah (*b*)	...	...	...	13	...	100	...	8	...	900	900	...	...	900	900	...
	Indian Midland (incldg. Bhopal-Itarsi)	226	257	914	914	1,68,160	1,60,000	184	175	15,97,423	12,47,000	...	3,50,423	52,43,048	42,37,000	...	10,06,048
	Madras and Southern Mahratta (including 3′ 3½″ gauge lines)	207	220	2,883	2,838	5,65,749	5,32,000	196	187	46,19,850	41,21,000	...	4,98,850	1,40,12,584	1,27,09,000	...	13,03,584
	North-Western (including 2′ 6″ gauge lines)	387	371	3,614	3,614	15,58,830	11,69,000	431	323	1,24,40,173	73,04,000	...	51,36,173	3,00,51,207	2,18,56,000	...	81,95,207
	Oudh and Rohilkhand (incldg. C.-Burhwal 3′ 3½″ link)	261	269	1,298	1,298	3,62,021	2,49,000	279	192	25,93,178	20,50,000	...	5,43,178	72,96,605	64,61,000	...	8,35,605
	Hardwar-Dehra	230	235	32	32	5,386	5,000	168	156	53,833	46,000	...	7,833	1,60,346	1,57,000	...	3,346
3′ 3½″ gauge.	Assam-Bengal	127	121	771	771	76,512	70,500	99	91	6,93,337	5,84,000	...	1,09,337	17,99,864	16,85,000	...	1,14,864
	Bezwada-Masulipatam (*c*)	...	...	...	49	...	5,200	...	106	...	39,100	39,100	...	...	1,30,000	1,30,000	...
	Burma	203	240	1,401	1,475	2,12,512	2,31,000	152	157	17,29,777	19,73,000	2,43,223	...	60,23,026	68,13,000	7,89,974	...
	Jodhpur-Hyderabad (British Section)	121	128	124	124	9,671	9,800	78	79	1,02,106	82,900	...	19,206	3,18,892	2,83,000	...	35,892
	Lucknow-Bareilly	137	148	200	200	21,722	21,700	109	108	1,78,160	1,73,000	...	5,160	6,43,124	6,15,000	...	28,124
	Palanpur-Deesa	44	50	17	17	89	500	5	29	4,902	3,700	...	1,202	17,457	19,300	1,843	...
	Rajputana-Malwa (including Godhra-Rutlam-Nagda 5′ 6″ gauge)	267	282	1,909	1,914	4,92,488	3,38,000	258	177	40,98,420	26,97,000	...	14,01,420	1,18,75,105	92,23,000	...	26,52,105
	South Indian (including 5′ 6″ and 2′ 6″ gauge lines)	217	235	1,330	1,375	2,75,269	3,40,000	207	247	22,59,972	26,98,000	4,38,028	...	62,97,569	78,00,000	15,02,431	...
	Tanjore District Board	112	121	103	103	10,741	11,500	104	112	88,317	98,300	9,983	...	2,75,223	2,88,000	12,777	...
	Travancore Branch	115	110	108	108	9,898	11,500	92	106	84,366	88,600	4,234	...	2,42,557	2,48,000	5,443	...
	Tirhoot State	197	212	690	774	94,649	1,09,000	137	141	8,88,715	9,86,000	97,285	...	30,07,194	33,42,000	3,34,806	...
2′ 6″ gauge.	Jorhat	57	59	32	30	1,721	2,000	54	67	14,712	14,100	...	612	38,328	36,700	...	1,628
	Total	330	347	23,374	23,766	69,77,983	65,28,300	299	275	5,81,39,839	4,94,49,100	...	86,90,719	16,96,16,360	15,28,65,900	...	1,67,50,460

5′ 6″ gauge.	Bhopal-Ujjain	113	129	114	114	7,800	5,400	53	36	89,249	41,100	...	48,149	2 57,165	2,02,000	...	55,165
	Bina-Goona-Baran	63	73	148	148	7,800	5,400	53	36	89,249	41,100	...	48,149	2 57,165	2,02,000	...	55,165
	Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	261	258	162	162	35,757	31,600	221	195	2,94,863	2,81,000	...	13,863	8,56,760	8,57,000	240	...
	Jammu-Kashmir (Native State Section)	97	97	16	16	1,061	1,500	66	94	10,201	12,300	2,099	...	29,368	36,200	6,832	...
	Kolar Gold-fields	405	383	10	10	3,154	3,000	315	300	33,954	22,500	...	11,454	85,148	69,000	...	16,148
	Ludhiana-Dhuri-Jakhal	156	154	79	79	11,361	11,700	144	148	94,284	92,700	...	1,584	2,64,863	2,59,000	...	5,863
	Nagda-Ujjain	91	109	34	34	3,927	1,000	115	29	28,350	14,300	...	14,050	93,800	70,400	...	23,400
	Nizam's Guaranteed State	277	289	334	334	69,303	66,000	207	198	5,84,341	5,24,000	...	60,341	18,90,677	18,32,000	...	58,677
	Petlad-Cambay	105	123	34	34	2,609	3,100	77	91	26,067	22,800	...	3,267	94,020	98,400	4 380	...
	Rajpura-Bhatinda	298	274	107	107	20,918	22,400	195	209	2,08,036	1,89,000	...	19,036	5,41,725	5,21,000	...	20,725
	Southern Punjab	249	229	425	425	79,609	62,100	187	146	7,35,730	4,71,000	...	2,64,730	17,76,739	13,49,000	...	4,27,739
	" "Ludhiana" extension	122	112	155	155	20,435	14,600	132	94	1 57,756	1,19,000	...	38,756	3,66,565	3,24,000	...	42,565
	Tapti Valley	89	124	155	155	8,572	8,000	55	52	82,272	59,300	...	22,972	4,23,013	3,27,000	...	96,013
	Tarkessur	261	323	22	22	5,023	3,700	228	168	49,256	42,400	...	6,896	1,55,104	1,43,000	...	12,104
3′ 3½″ gauge.	Ahmedabad-Dholka	60	68	34	34	1,630	1,200	48	35	15,874	12,400	...	3,474	51,290	53,500	2,210	...
	Ahmedabad-Parantij	83	95	55	55	2,042	2,000	53	36	32,208	25,900	...	6,308	1,09,237	1,19,000	9,763	...
	Bengal and North-Western	142	163	1,015	1,017	1,35,110	1,06,000	133	104	11,95,762	10,00,000	...	1,95,762	39,12,978	32,34,000	...	6,78,978
	Bengal Dooars	139	130	153	153	16,035	23,000	105	150	1,48,312	1,48,000	...	312	3,85,369	3,78,000	...	7,369
	Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar	100	118	455	455	32,110	31,600	71	69	2,99,036	2,83,000	...	16,036	11,36,823	12,00,000	63,177	...
	Birur-Shimoga	60	73	38	38	2,056	2,700	54	71	20,372	20,200	...	172	63,105	58,700	...	4,405
	Dibru-Sadiya	260	257	78	78	18,026	18,800	231	241	1,49,245	1,46,000	...	3,245	4,07,967	4,11,000	3,033	...
	Gaekwar's Mehsana (including Vijapur-Kalol-Kadi)	69	78	134	134	5,011	5,900	37	44	64,355	65,500	1,145	...	2,37,540	2,45,000	7,460	...
	Hindupur	118	126	51	51	5,798	5,100	114	100	43,275	38,500	...	4,775	1,44,119	1,14,000	...	30,119
	Hyderabad-Godavari Valley	118	160	392	392	31,830	37,500	81	96	2,68,962	3,12,000	43,038	...	12,89,094	12,43,000	...	46,094
	Jaipur	48	42	32	73	837	1,100	26	15	8,112	10,400	2,288	...	25,459	41,400	15,941	...
	Jodhpur-Bikaner	72	80	709	709	35,772	30,400	50	43	3,85,875	2,96,000	...	89,875	12,58,611	10,96,000	...	1,62,611
	Kolhapur	99	130	29	29	3,138	3,900	108	134	23,964	28,300	4,336	...	81,336	93,600	12,264	...
	Morvi (including Vankaner-Morvi 2′ 6″ gauge)	86	92	95	93	5,279	5,900	56	63	57,535	65,700	8,165	...	1,73,861	2,22,000	48,139	...
	Mymensingh-Jamalpur-Jagannathganj	126	121	51	51	6,211	6,300	122	117	41,663	42,100	437	...	1,14,308	1 28,000	13,692	...
	Mysore-Nanjangud	46	52	16	16	516	1,100	32	69	5,072	7,800	2,728	...	15,882	22,400	6,518	...
	Rohilkund and Kumaon	151	147	130	214	20,014	19,400	154	91	1,66,327	1,63,000	...	3,327	4,99 336	5 33,000	33,664	...
	Sangli	80	112	5	5	314	600	63	120	3,042	4,500	1,458	...	12,224	14,500	2,276	...
	Shoranur-Cochin	118	126	65	65	3,908	6,300	60	97	46,771	48,500	1,729	...	1,62,262	1,55,000	...	7,262
	Udaipur-Chitor	61	70	67	67	3,247	3,800	48	57	36,877	21,300	...	15,577	1,11,546	99,400	...	12,146
2′ 6″ gauge.	Barsi	116	125	78	78	4,854	8,300	62	106	1,00,102	63,400	...	36,702	2,52,303	1,88,000	...	64,303
	Cooch-Behar	105	102	34	34	3,157	3,200	93	94	22,331	22,600	269	...	61,837	72,800	10,963	...
	Gaekwar's Dabhoi	73	96	94	94	6,391	5,700	68	61	44,741	38,800	...	5,941	2,05,422	2,02,000	...	3,422
	Rajpipla	32	43	37	37	1,282	900	35	24	8,498	6,800	...	1,698	36,037	31,500	...	4,537
2′ 0″ gauge.	Darjeeling-Himalayan	355	350	51	51	17,031	16,000	334	314	1,23,703	1,13,000	...	10,703	3,94,544	4,00,000	5,456	...
	TOTAL	140	150	5,721	5,849	6,50,123	5,93,900	114	102	58,67,076	49,80,000	...	8,87,076	1,84,25,010	1,67,87,200	...	16,37,810
	GRAND TOTAL	293	308	29,095	29,615	76,28,106	71,22,200	262	240	6,40,06,915	5,44,29,100	...	95,77,815	18,80,41,370	16,96,53,100	...	1,83,88,270

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES IN THE FIRST HALF OF AUGUST 1908 OF:

RICE
WHEAT AND FLOUR
BARLEY
JAWÁR
BAJRA
RAGI
KANGNI

MAIZE
GRAM AND PULSE
LINSEED
MUSTARD AND RAPESEED
SESAMUM (*Til* OR *jinjili*)
GHI
SUGAR, RAW

SALT
TOBACCO
TURMERIC
GRASS AND STRAW
JAWAR STALKS
SHEEP AND BULLOCKS

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF AUGUST

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar	
	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907
Burma*—												
Tenasserim—												
Mergui	...	...	47·41	47·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	34·59	36·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	41·03	39·02	55·65	55·65	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Rangoon	...	...	32·99	25	47·76	28·57	...	...	...	...	35·16	...
Maubin	...	...	45·07	36·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	47·06	45·71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Henzada	...	...	44·14	38·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay	...	...	45·07	40	55·65	48·85	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	45·07	38·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—												
Akyab	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern Bengal and Assam*—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong	...	...	45	43·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	42·5	52·5	50	46·25	...	...	25	30	...	...
Central—												
Pabna	...	...	46·87	53·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Rangpur	...	...	62·5	52·5	45	46·25	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—												
Goálpára	25	30	48·75	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	26·25	25	45	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal*—												
Deltaic—												
Midnapur	...	...	60	52·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	...	...	61·25	62·5	51·25	40	...	...	37·5	30	...	...
Central—												
Bardwan	...	...	58·12	43·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orissa—												
Cuttack	...	...	...	40	50·78	32·81	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihár, south—												
Patna	...	...	57·5	47·5	46·25	36·87	...	...	32·5	27·5	43·75	30·62
Bihár, north—												
Bhágalpur	...	...	55·62	55·31	47·66	39·69	...	...	35·16	31·72	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	66·56	50	50	36·25	...	...	35	28·59	...	...
United Provinces—												
(*a*) Agra—												
Eastern—												
Benares	33·33	28·23	56·41	52·4	45·83	37·97	54·27	45·83	34·37	28·23	...	...
Central—												
Cawnpore	39·01	26·67	50	47·08	44·43	35·57	50	39·01	31·98	25·78	37·19	26·67
Jhánsi	...	...	69·53	61·56	46·25	34·74	...	...	33·28	22·97	39·06	29·59
Western—												
Meerut	...	...	57·19	55	40·78	33·28	48·44	39·06	32·03	24·97	32·03	...
Agra	50	30·21	80	76·2	47·03	34·79	55·36	42·13	32·66	25·42	38·07	25·42
Submontane, west—												
Shahjahánpur	...	25	...	...	44·32	32·5	...	...	31·82	25	...	28·12
(*b*) Oudh—												
Southern—												
Lucknow	...	...	53·23	55	44·53	35·52	53·33	47·34	33·33	27·97	38·12	30
Northern—												
Fyzabad	30	32·03	72·5	59·37	45·31	35·47	...	...	32·03	27·5	...	30·78

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Bajra		Ragi		Maize		Gram		Arhar dál		Linseed		Districts
1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	
												Burma—
												Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	...	40·76	40·76	50	50	...	...	Moulmein and Amherst
												Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	32·99	22·86	43·54	28·07	...	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	...	...	...	43·84	40·76	...	...	...	...	Bassein
												Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	53·78	42·11	46·72	46·72	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
												Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	24·52	...	45·71	33·33	60·95	54·24	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	28·96	35·36	...	...	...	...	Pakôkku
												Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	62·75	46·38	72·73	66·67	...	...	Akyab
												Eastern Bengal and Assam—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	56·25	42·5	62·5	55	...	...	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	49·37	38·75	60	55	...	...	Dacca
												Central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	43·12	35	...	...	51·25	50	Pabna
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	46·25	37·5	45	56·87	...	...	Rangpur
												Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gauhati
												Bengal—
												Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	50	32·5 to 35	60	52·5	52·5	47·5	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	42·5	...	45	30	55	50	55	52·5	Calcutta
												Central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	48·75	31·25	61·09	46·25	...	...	Bardwan
												Orissa—
...	...	...	...	...	...	42·08	32·81	38·07	30·47	...	...	Cuttack
												Bihár, south—
..	...	...	...	39·37	31·25	39·37	28·75	...	36·25	...	50	Patna
												Bihár, north—
...	...	...	...	39·37	31·72	45	31·72	55·16	48·75	56·87	52·5	Bhágalpur
...	...	...	...	37·19	31·87	44·37	30·78	50	44·37	...	...	Muzaffarpur
												United Provinces—
												(a) Agra—
												Eastern—
...	28·23	...	...	...	...	43·12	28·44	50·57	45·83	52·4	50·57	Benares
												Central—
24·79	25·36	...	...	...	...	40	26·25	45·73	35·57	55·16	48·49	Cawnpore
...	24·37	...	...	...	...	43·28	25·78	...	...	...	...	Jhánsi
												Western—
40	...	...	...	...	...	40	24·22	57·03	38·44	...	...	Meerut
44·43	23·91	...	...	...	...	43·23	25·42	55·36	43·23	66·67	66·67	Agra
												Submontane, west—
...	...	...	...	...	28·12	...	27·5	...	...	...	...	Shahjahánpur
												(b) Oudh—
												Southern—
38·12	29·63	...	...	38·12	31·98	44·43	28·39	...	...	53·33	47·29	Lucknow
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	44·37	28·59	...	...	...	...	Fyzabad

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DISTRICTS	MUSTARD AND RAPESEED		SESAMUM (*Til* or *jinjili*)		GHI		SUGAR, RAW (*Gúr*)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF	
	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907
Burma—												
Tenasserim—												
Mergui	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21·92	17·53	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20·51	20·51	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18·77	18·77	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—									18·6	18·6	...	...
Rangoon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22·54	22·46	...	...
Maubin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22·61	22·61	...	...
Bassein	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
Pegu (inland)—									28·19	24·81	...	...
Henzada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24·62	24·62	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
Upper Burma—									25	22·54	...	...
Mandalay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22·61	22·61	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
Arakan—									28·57	25	...	...
Akyab	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
Eastern Bengal and Assam—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong	68·75	70	...	...	400	480	60	65	16·25	17·5	50	40
Dacca	...	...	...	...	420	480	65	57·5	20	20·94	100	60
Central—												
Pabna	66·25	65	...	...	620	600	45	50	20	22·5	115	80
Northern—												
Rangpur	65	65	...	...	445	460	57·5	55	17·5	27·5	80	52·5
Brahmaputra—												
Goálpára	61·25	60	...	...	...	...	67·5	70	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	62·5	63·75	...	...	...	...	60	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
Deltaic—												
Midnapur	65 and 70	55 and 65	...	...	370 to 460	450 to 480	70	45 to 52·5	17·5	18·12	120 and 135	85 and 97·5
Calcutta	67·5	60	65	60	430	480	57·5	47·5	19·37	16·25	80	80
Central—												
Bardwan	72·5	72·5	...	...	420	500	57·5	50	17·19	20	...	...
Orissa—												
Cuttack	68·12	62·5	65	60	475·62	419·06	52·34	38·12	14·37	14·37	62·5	60
Bihár, south—												
Patna	70	60	70	70	360 to 380	410	60	40	20	20	20 to 40	25
Bihár, north—												
Bhágalpur	61·87 and 65	62·5 and 67·5	...	...	430	460	45	43·12	18·91	19·22	100	80
Muzaffarpur	...	...	...	...	355·62	426·25	36·25	33·28	20·94	23·44	160	160
United Provinces—												
(a) AGRA—												
Eastern—												
Benares	58·7	56·41	77·24	63·75	411·67	442·34	55·88	48·91	...	...	...	...
Central—												
Cawnpore	62·76	57·13	80	...	355·52	457·13	57·13	47·08	...	...	90	82·5
Jhánsi	...	...	...	...	320	406·25	66·72	61·56	...	...	...	...
Western—												
Meerut	...	...	...	...	352·5	511·87	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra	72·71	59·27	...	...	312·19	441·35	64·01	59·27	...	...	130	100
Submontane, west—												
Shahjahánpur	...	...	...	...	350	450	...	...	...	...	...	...
(b) OUDH—												
Southern—												
Lucknow	66·25	61·51	...	...	365	455	55	57·5	...	...	...	70
Northern—												
Fyzabad	...	...	...	...	390	430	45	50	...	...	...	...

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Turmeric		Grass		Straw		Jawar stalks		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Districts
1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	
												Burma—
												Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moulmein and Amherst
												Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bassein
												Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
												Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakôkku
												Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
												Eastern Bengal and Assam—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dacca
												Central—
...	...	...	...	7·5	11·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pabna
												Northern—
...	...	3·75	2·5	10	8·75	...	...	...	..	...	...	Rangpur
												Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gauhati
												Bengal—
												Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	3·12	4·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	Midnapur
...	...	17·5	17·5	10	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	Calcutta
												Central—
...	...	...	...	6·25	7·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bardwan
												Orissa—
...	...	5	5	5·62	5·31	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuttack
												Bihár, south—
...	...	5	2·5	7·25	5·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	Patna
												Bihár, north—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bhágalpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Muzaffarpur
												United Provinces—
												(a) Agra—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Benares
												Central—
95	105	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	70	...	...	Cawnpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jhánsi
												Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	60	...	...	Meerut
102·5	120	6·67	...	10	8·75	...	...	...	...	80	70 to 80	Agra
90 and 100	120 and 130	...	...	...	...	...	...	60 and 65	60 and 65	40 and 60	40 and 60	*Submontane, west*— Shahjahánpur
												(b) Oudh—
												Southern—
85	...	3·33	3·75	...	...	...	...	40	40	...	...	Lucknow
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	35	Fyzabad

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Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar	
	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Ajmer	30·78	30·78	...	...	45·62	40	...	...	30	25·83	34·06	25·83
Panjab—												
Southern—												
Ferospur	...	23·12	66·72	40	40	26·72	43·75	33·75	30·78	15·31	...	...
Central—												
Lahore	40	29·63	72·03	...	34·74	29·63	40	32·07	26·67	17·34	30·16	21·61
South-eastern—												
Delhi	40	28·59	48·44	53·33	44·43	34·79	45·73	43·28	32·03	22·86	32·03	21·04
Submontane—												
Amritsar	36·35	30·78	61·56	57·13	37·5	26·67	43·23	30·78	...	...	...	20
Northern—												
Ráwalpindi	40	20	90	57·13	40	25·78	45·73	30·78	29·58	18·18	36·35	14·27
Western—												
Multan	33·28	26·56	...	42·03	38·12	30·78	...	...	28·59	20	32·29	...
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karáchi	...	...	59·37	50	42·81	33·75	...	...	...	26·67	...	22·5
Shikárpur	...	...	70	48·12	37·5	28·75	...	...	29·37	20·16	27·5	19·37
Quetta	...	...	...	...	42·5 to 45	30·62 to 33·12	77·5	52·5	36·87	25	35	21·87
Bombay—												
Deccan and Karnátak—												
Dharwar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30·16	...
Sholapur	...	...	...	42·08	50·16	...	...	...	...	...	29·84	21·35
Poona	...	...	...	50·36	54·74	42·08	...	...	...	...	36·87	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—												
Ahmadnagar	...	...	...	...	56·3	36·2	...	...	...	...	33·02	...
Dhulia	...	...	...	...	...	44·32	...	...	...	...	37·03	...
Gujarat—												
Surat	46·35	...	...	71·35	54·06	44·69	...	...	...	...	39·63	33·85
Ahmadabad	...	...	60	...	42·08	...	...	...	28·75	...	32·5	...
Central Provinces—*												
Western—												
Nagpur	...	...	42·25	42·25	47	31·87	61·5	37·25	...	...	33·62	30·37
Central—												
Jubbulpore	...	...	50	40	48·5	32	57·12	40	...	...	...	...
Eastern—												
Raipur	...	...	41	36	45	30	52	32·5	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Akola	...	...	53	41	49·62	33	...	...	...	...	27	22·87
Amráoti	...	...	55·12	41·25	52·12	33·25	55	43	...	...	38·62	21·25
Madras—												
South, central—												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30·8	30·8
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—												
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·1	23·7
Cuddapah	36·3	31·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34·8	29·3
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central—												
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, south—												
Madras	34·2	31·4	54·9	53·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	25·5	33·9	60·6	55·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southern—												
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28·2	31·9
Mysore—												
Mysore	29·04	29	51·2	49·5	48·93	47·02	64·27	61·67	...	...	25·47	25·5
Bangalore	26	21·5	64	54	58	48	67·76	59·69	...	...	66	...

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(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Bajra		Ragi		Maize		Gram		Arhar dál		Linseed		Districts
1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	
												Rajputana—
34·84	25·83	...	...	34·06	24·06	39·05	26·25	...	...	72·66	61·56	*Eastern—* Ajmer
												Panjab—
...	...	...	...	...	...	36·41	22·19	...	...	...	...	*Southern—* Ferozpur
39·01	22·55	...	...	37·71	26·72	36·35	19·27	57·13	51·61	57·13	48·49	*Central—* Lahore
36·35	25	...	...	40	25	40	24·22	66·67	53·33	72·71	64·01	*South-eastern—* Delhi
...	...	...	...	...	...	39·01	20·52	...	...	...	...	*Submontane—* Amritsar
36·35	18·18	...	...	33·33	18·18	43·23	22·86	65	80	50	50	*Northern—* Rawalpindi
...	20	...	...	...	...	39·06	...	...	...	...	...	*Western—* Multan
												Sind and Baluchistan—
32·81	24·38	...	...	...	...	42·76	26·67	63·12	51·25	...	...	Karachi
30·62	...	...	...	...	...	40·31	...	63·12	55	...	...	Shikarpur
...	...	...	...	31·87	21·87	...	...	66·25	65	...	...	Quetta
												Bombay—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Deccan and Karnátak—* Dharwar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55·68	48·07	Sholapur
39·74	25·52	...	...	...	...	47·24	29·17	...	52·19	...	...	Poona
35·62	20·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—* Ahmadnagar
38·49	27·86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dhulia
43·23	28·12	...	...	...	...	49·01	...	69·17	51·87	...	...	*Gujarat—* Surat
36·35	...	...	...	...	...	42·05	...	60	...	...	...	Ahmadabad
												Central Provinces—
...	...	...	...	...	...	46·25	31	53	49	62	65	*Western—* Nagpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	41	27·62	57·12	47	51·62	47	*Central—* Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	41	30	52	40	...	...	*Eastern—* Raipur
												Berar—
...	...	...	...	...	...	47·12	32	58·25	48	...	...	Akola
...	...	...	...	...	...	48·75	31·25	52·37	44·75	57·5	75	Amráoti
												Madras—
34·2	34·1	...	...	...	...	58·1	51·5	...	...	...	...	*South, central—* Coimbatore
...	...	30·6	23·4	...	...	...	...	35·6	33·6	...	...	Salem
...	...	...	...	...	...	46	41·1	25·3	27·3	...	...	*Central—* Bellary
36·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnul
...	...	30·5	28·6	...	...	...	...	37·3	30·6	...	...	*East Coast, central—* Nellore
...	...	...	...	...	...	49·6	36·8	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, south—* Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
...	...	29·6	31·8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
30	36·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	39·9	33·9	...	...	*Southern—* Madura
												Mysore—
...	...	25·47	26·25	...	...	22·29	27	62·69	60	...	...	Mysore
...	...	29·5	27·5	...	...	29	30	66·5	56	...	...	Bangalore

WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF AUGUST—*concluded*

Districts	Mustard and rapeseed		Sesamum (*Til* or *Jinjili*)		Ghi		Sugar, raw (*Gur*)		Salt		Tobacco leaf	
	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Ajmer	...	...	83·91	94·11	320	400	65·99	63·85	...	...	...	...
Panjab—												
Southern—												
Ferozpur	...	...	...	...	355·62	460	50	50	...	...	100	80
Central—												
Lahore	59·27	...	84·22	91·46	400	422·81	57·13	53·33	...	...	80	57·13
South-eastern—												
Delhi	64·01	61·56	88·91	...	400	556·67	50	53·33	...	...	94·11	88·91
Submontane—												
Amritsar	...	50	75	85	400	440	...	53·33	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Rawalpindi	61·56	50	84·06	72·71	400	400	50	44·43	...	...	...	...
Western—												
Multan	66·72	...	95·47	94·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karachi	...	...	...	...	401·25	420	...	72·5	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur	52·5	55	...	...	381·25	415	55	47·81	...	...	...	...
Quetta	...	...	...	...	430 to 480	417·5 to 440	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay—												
Deccan and Karnatak—												
Dharwar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	67·97	62·76	...	...	...	108·33
Poona	...	...	...	...	403·49	...	63·18	68·07	...	...	...	87·71
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—												
Ahmadnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dhulia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gujarat—												
Surat	...	...	72·08	...	...	432·45	...	59·48	...	...	...	...
Ahmadabad	...	...	...	...	375	490	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces—												
Western—												
Nagpur	...	...	86·62	91	466·62	566·62	...	...	21·62	22·5	91·62	116·62
Central—												
Jubbulpore	...	...	66·62	61·5	360	410	...	...	22·12	23·5	100	100
Eastern—												
Raipur	...	...	...	...	350	450	...	...	20	20	150	110
Berar—												
Akola	...	...	...	...	435·62	495·25	...	...	19	18·87	80·87	135
Amraoti	...	...	91	90·75	400	480	...	...	20	20	180	120
Madras—												
South, central—												
Coimbatore	...	...	82·8	77·6	487·9	457·3	52·8	54·4	...	...	128·5	111·3
Salem	...	...	...	...	385·3	376·7	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—												
Bellary	...	...	92·8	...	412·7	476·2	47·7	47·6	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	394·8	427·7	...	...	...	...	74·1	74·1
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central—												
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, south—												
Madras	...	...	79·7	70·9	428	460·8	57·7	44·4	...	...	82·3	74·1
Tanjore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	102·8	82·3
Southern—												
Madura	...	...	72·5	84·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	106·8	106·8
Mysore—												
Mysore	...	...	63·77	70	428·59	428·54	68·54	45	...	...	205·68*	205·68*
Bangalore	...	...	76	57	462·81	480	60	60	...	...	171·41*	205·68*

*Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 163 per 10 maunds

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Turmeric		Grass		Straw		Jawar stalks		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Districts
1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	
												Rajputana—
												Eastern—
...	...	7·66	12·29	5·31	7·6	6·87	10	125	130	85	85	Ajmer
												Panjab—
												Southern—
...	...	6·72	3·28	10	5·62	...	...	60	60	90	90	Ferozpur
												Central—
133·33	139·11	10	11·41	10·73	5·68	...	...	170	150	200	100	Lahore
												South-eastern—
88·91	133·33	...	8·02	11·41	6·67	13·33	10	80	80	150	140	Delhi
												Submontane—
...	107·5	...	...	8·02	4·43	...	...	130	125	...	...	Amritsar
												Northern—
133·33	100	5	11·41	10	3·33	20	6·67	90	90	70	70	Rawalpindi
												Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Multan
												Sind and Baluchistan—
...	112·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karáchi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Shikárpur
...	...	...	...	7·19*	5·94*	...	...	120 to 220	100 to 200	...	...	Quetta
												Bombay—
												Deccan and Karnátak—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dharwar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Poona
												Khandesh and N.-E Deccan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmadnagar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dhulia
												Gujarat—
...	...	...	11·98	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surat
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmadabad
												Central Provinces—
												Western—
120	140	...	15	...	...	...	16·62	50	50	100	100	Nagpur
												Central—
100	106·62	10	6·62	...	...	...	...	55	55	70	60	Jubbulpore
												Eastern—
76	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	30	Raipur
												Berar—
88	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	52	60	60	75	Akola
130	120	10	5	...	...	15	...	50	60	70	75	Amráoti
												Madras—
												South, central—
64·1	96	...	...	...	...	3·2	4	...	...	...	50	Coimbatore
62·5	94·3	...	...	6·4	10·3	...	...	75†	75†	...	...	Salem
												Central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	10·3	6·9	80†	80†	100	100	Bellary
52·7	69·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuddapah
49·4	74	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnul
												East Coast, central—
...	...	...	...	3·6	2·9	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nellore
												East Coast, south—
54·3	79	...	...	...	...	...	...	61·25†	61·25†	...	...	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	90†	85†	...	...	Tanjore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	5·4	5·4	...	...	...	...	40	40	Madura
												Mysore—
120	102·81	13·12	10	9·37	10	6·61	5	80	100	100	70	Mysore
120	111·41	3·65	6·61	7·34	5·88	...	...	160	160	120 to 150	120 to 150	Bangalore

* Bhusa † Sheep or goats

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					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Burma—												
Tenasserim—												
Mergui	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	9 15	9 15	11 5	11 5	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	6 13	6 13	...	...	8 8	8 8	9 1	9 1	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Pegu	...	...	...	...	8 14	8 14	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Rangoon	8 —	8 —	...	...	10 4	10 4	11 2	11 6	10 6	10 6	...	...
Maubin	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	8 10	8 10	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	...	...	7 9	7 13	7 15	8 8	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Insrawadi	...	...	...	...	8 3	7 13	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Henzada	...	...	...	...	6 15	6 15	8 5	8 5	...	...	...	...
Prome	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 6	7 6	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	7 14	7 14	8 5	8 5	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 4	10 3	10 3	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay	6 12	6 12	...	...	7 11	8 —	8 5	8 5	...	10 3	...	...
Bamo	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	8 5	8 5	...	...	...	...
Meiktila	...	...	...	...	10 3	10 4	10 7	10 8	16 3	16 4	...	...
Arakan—												
Sandoway	...	...	...	...	7 12	7 12	8 3	8 12	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpyu	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Eastern Bengal and Assam—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Noakhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 —	...	...	...	...
Backerganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Maimensingh	6 —	6 6	12 4	11 8	...	...	8 10	7 14	...	...	...	...
Tippera	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 12	...	...	...	...
Dacca	8 —	8 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	9 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Faridpur	9 —	9 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Central—												
Pabna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 6	7 10	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	9 —	9 12	15 —	15 —	...	...	6 12	7 8	...	...	...	...
Maida	8 8	8 8	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Bogra	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 8	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Jalpaiguri	6 8	6 8	...	...	5 8	6 —	7 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur	8 —	8 1	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 7	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	9 —	7 4	...	...	5 10	5 12	6 8	7 —	...	...	...	...
Surma—												
Sylhet	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Cachar	5 5	5 5	...	...	6 6	6 6	7 10	7 10	...	...	...	...
Hill tracts—												
Khási and Jáintia Hills	5 —	5 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 4	...	...	...	...
Gáro Hills	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	7 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Manipur	...	...	...	...	24 —	22 —	26 —	24 —	...	...	...	...
Nágá Hills	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 4	5 4	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—												
Goálpára	6 —	6 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Kámrúp	6 —	6 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Darrang	6 —	6 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Sibságar	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 1	7 8	7 —	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur	6 8	6 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...

state the number of sers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine coracana*)		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*)		MAIZE (*Zea Maye*)		ARHAR DÁL		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Burma—
										14 2	14 2	*Tenasserim*— Mergui
				...	...	...	...	...	...	17 12	17 12	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			Moulmein and Amherst
...	...	...	...					7 9	7 9	16 4	16 4	*Pegu (deltaic)*—
				9 5	9 5	..	...					Pegu
...	...	...	...					6 12	6 12	18 —	18 —	Rangoon
				10 3	10 3	...	...	8 10	9 —	18 6	18 6	Maubin
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	...	...			12 8	12 8	Bassein
...	..	...	...					...	...	15 1	15 1	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			*Pegu (inland)*—
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...			14 5	19 1	Tharawadi
								...	...	12 —	12 —	Henzada
				5 14	5 14	..	...	7 8	7 8	16 2	16 2	Prome
...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	..	...	7 14	7 14	11 6	11 6	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	..	...			14 8	14 8	Thayetmyo
...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	...	...			
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	22 8	22 8	8 10	8 10			*Upper Burma*—
...	...	...	...							15 1	15 6	Mandalay
				8 7	8 2	14 5	14 5	5 15	5 15	11 10	11 10	Bamo
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	6 3	6 3	14 3	14 3	Pakókku
...	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	...	...	...	...	16 2	16 1	Meiktila
...	...	...	...	16 5	16 6	20 11	20 11	9 2	9 2			
...	...	...	...									*Arakan*—
				...	...	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Sandoway
										18 —	18 —	Kyaukpyu
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	Akyab
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —			
...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...					
												Eastern Bengal and Assam—
												Eastern—
								6 4	6 —	24 —	22 —	Chittagong
				7 —	7 8	...	...					
...	...	...	...					...	...	20 —	20 —	Noakhali
				8 —	8 —	...	...					
...	...	...	...					...	...	16 —	16 —	Backerganj
				8 —	8 4	...	...					
...	...	...	...					6 —	5 12	18 —	16 —	Maimensingh
				8 4	8 8	...	...					
...	...	...	...							20 —	20 —	Tippera
				...	...	...	...	...	...	20 —	20 —	Dacca
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 12	6 8	16 —	16 —	Faridpur
...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	6 —			
...	...	...	...									*Central*—
								6 —	6 —	19 —	19 —	Pabna
				9 —	9 4	...	...	6 —	6 12	18 —	18 —	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 12	...	...		6 —	17 —	17 —	Malda
...	...	...	...	8 8	9 —	12 —	...	...				
...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	...	...	10 8	10 11	19 8	19 8	Bogra
...	...	...	...									*Northern*—
								6 8	6 8	17 —	17 —	Jalpaiguri
				7 —	8 —	...	...	6 7	7 3	18 —	18 —	Dinajpur
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 8	...	...	9 —	6 —	21 —	17 —	Rangpur
...	...	...	...	8 12	6 —	...	...					
...	...	...	...									*Surma*—
								6 8	6 8	18 —	16 —	Sylhet
				7 —	7 —	...	...	6 10	6 10	19 —	19 —	Cachar
...	...	...	...	7 9	7 4	...	...					
...	...	...	...									*Hill tracts*—
												Khási and Jaintia Hills
								5 —	5 —	10 —	10 —	Gáro Hills
				6 —	6 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	10 —	10 —	Manipur
...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	9 8	9 —	Nágá Hills
...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	9 -	9 —	Lushai Hills
...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	
...	...	...	...	5 —	5 8	...	...					
...	...	...	...									*Brahmaputra*—
								6 —	6 —	16 —	16 —	Goálpára
				8 —	9 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	Kámrup
...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	16 —	16 —	Darrang
...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	16 —	14 —	Nowgong
...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	6 8	7 —	16 —	16 —	Sibságar
...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	14 —	14 —	Lakhimpur
...	...	...	...	7 8	7 12	...	...					
...	...	...	...									

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Bengal—												
Deltaic—												
Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	7 6	7 10	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 6	6 4	...	...	...	...
Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Krishnagarh)	7 8	8 —	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 2	6 2	...	...	...	...
Jessore	6 8	6 —	7 8	7 8	...	...	7 4	7 —	...	...	...	...
Central—												
Bankura	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	7 4	6 8	...	...	...	...
Bardwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 8	...	...	...	...
Birbhum	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	7 2	6 8	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	...	...	6 4	6 —	...	...	...	...
Santhal Parganas	6 8	6 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 —	5 12	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Darjeeling	6 —	6 —	7 —	6 4	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Orissa—												
Puri	7 8	7 14	...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	...	...
Cuttack	7 14	7 14	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...
Balasore	7 —	6 8	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...	9 —	8 4	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur—												
Singhbhum	7 —	7 8	...	...	...	...	6 —	5 8	...	...	...	...
Mánbhum	7 8	7 8	9 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Ránchi	6 8 to 7 4	6 8 to 7 4	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 8	6 —	...	...	...	...
Palámau	7 14	7 5	10 11	11 4	...	...	7 14	7 —	...	...	...	...
Hazáribágh	7 —	7 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 4	...	...	...	...
Bihár, south—												
Monghyr	9 —	9 —	12 4	12 8	...	...	6 13	6 14	...	...	...	...
Gaya	7 8	7 12	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 8	11 —	...	...
Patna	8 8	8 8	12 —	12 8	...	...	6 14	7 —	9 —	9 —	...	...
Shahabad	8 —	8 4	10 8	11 —	...	...	7 3	7 3	...	...	...	...
Bihár, north—												
Purnea	9 8	10 —	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Bhágalpur	8 6	8 14	11 6	12 —	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga	7 11	7 11	11 —	12 1	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	7 8	8 —	11 8	11 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Sáran	8 4	8 4	11 8	11 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Champáran	8 8	8 8	12 —	12 12	...	...	7 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
United Provinces:												
(a) Agra—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur	7 4	7 4	9 12	9 12	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 8	9 —	9 —	9 —	9 —
Benares	8 1	7 13	10 13	10 9	4 12	4 12	6 8	6 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	9 12
Ghazipur	7 13	7 15	11 2	11 14	4 6	4 6	6 15	6 15	...	...	7 14	...
Jaunpur	8 —	9 4	11 12	12 4	4 8	5 —	7 —	7 12	...	...	...	...
Allahabad	7 8	7 8	11 —	11 —	4 —	4 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	10 4	10 4
Central—												
Bánda	8 4	8 4	10 4	10 4	3 8	3 8	7 12	7 12	10 —	10 —	...	...
Fatehpur	8 4	8 8	10 12	11 —	5 8	5 8	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Hamirpur	8 8	8 12	11 —	10 —	5 —	5 —	7 4	7 4	9 12	9 8	9 4	9 —
Jalaun	8 8	8 4	11 —	10 8	5 —	4 8	6 —	5 8	10 —	10 —	10 —	9 12
Cawnpore	8 12	8 8	12 4	11 12	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 8	10 4	11 4	10 4
Jhansi	8 6	8 12	11 12	11 4	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 —	10 12	...	...
Etáwah	9 —	9 —	11 10	11 10	3 —	3 —	7 4	7 —	...	...	...	...
Farukhabad	9 1	9 1	13 4	12 15	4 4	4 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Mainpuri	9 8	9 8	13 —	12 4	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Etah	9 14	9 12	13 12	13 8	3 12	3 12	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Western—												
Meerut	9 4	9 4	12 4	12 8	3 8	3 8	6 —	6 —	12 —	11 —	9 8	9 —
Agra	8 4	8 8	12 —	12 —	4 8	4 8	7 8	7 8	10 —	10 —	8 8	8 8
Muttra	8 12	8 12	12 8	12 12	5 —	4 8	7 8	7 8	9 —	9 —	9 —	8 —
Aligarh	9 8	9 12	13 8	13 8	3 —	4 —	7 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	11 —	8 —
Bulandshahr	10 —	7 8	13 4	12 8	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	9 —	9 —	9 —	9 —
Submontane, east—												
Ballia	7 14	8 4	11 4	11 8	4 4	4 4	7 8	7 4	12 8	10 8	9 12	...
Azamgarh	8 12	8 8	12 —	12 8	5 4	5 4	7 8	7 8	9 8	9 8	...	...
Gorakhpur	9 3	9 3	13 1	13 1	6 4	6 4	7 4	7 6	...	...	...	...
Basti	8 14	8 14	12 4	12 4	5 —	5 —	7 8	7 8	9 4	9 4	...	...

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...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	25 —	25 8	24-Parganas
...	...	...	...	8 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	20 —	20 —	Midnapur
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...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 4	16 —	17 —	Hooghly
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...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 12	7 —	18 —	18 —	Murshidabad
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												Orissa—
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												(a) AGRA—
												Eastern—
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Districts	Wheat		Barley		Rice				Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
United Provinces—*continued*												
(a) Agra—*continued*												
Submontane, west—												
Shahjahánpur	9 —	8 12	12 8	12 —	5 —	5 —	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Budaun	8 14	8 14	12 —	11 10	4 —	4 —	6 2	6 2	9 6	8 —	9 6	8 8
Pilibit	9 1	9 —	12 8	12 8	6 9	6 9	7 9	8 —	...	...	...	...
Bareli	9 —	9 —	12 4	12 8	3 2	3 2	6 —	5 12	11 4	11 4	...	...
Moradabad	9 4	8 14	13 6	12 4	3 12	3 12	5 —	5 —	12 10	12 8	...	...
Bijnor	9 4	9 —	13 4	13 —	3 8	3 8	6 4	6 4	...	11 —	...	...
Muzaffarnagar	9 14	9 9	14 5	14 14	4 14	4 14	5 8	5 8	...	...	7 11	7 11
Saháranpur	9 9	9 5	13 9	13 9	3 7	3 4	5 5	4 13	12 12	9 5	9 9	9 1
Dehra-Dún	8 12	8 12	12 8	13 —	2 8	2 8	6 12	6 8	10 —	9 —	8 —	8 —
Hills—												
Naini Tál	7 —	7 8	10 —	9 8	3 —	3 —	6 —	5 8	...	...	7 —	7 —
Almora	6 4	6 2	7 8	7 4	2 12	2 12	5 4	5 4	...	...	...	...
Garhwál	5 —	5 —	...	...	3 —	3 —	4 8	4 —	...	...	...	...
(b) Oudh—												
Southern—												
Partábgarh	8 8	8 8	11 8	11 4	3 4	3 4	7 8	7 8	...	8 8	...	...
Sultanpur	8 8	8 8	11 8	11 —	7 12	7 12	7 8	...	...	...	...	...
Rae-Bareli	8 12	8 12	12 —	11 8	5 —	5 —	7 12	7 12	10 —	10 —	10 —	9 —
Unao	8 12	8 —	11 8	11 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	7 4	...	...	...	8 —
Lucknow	8 12	8 12	11 8	11 4	4 —	4 —	7 8	7 12	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 4
Hardoi	8 12	9 —	12 —	12 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	10 12	10 12	10 8	10 8
Northern—												
Fyzabad	8 8	8 8	12 —	11 8	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	...	...
Barabanki	8 8	8 8	11 —	11 —	6 —	6 —	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...
Gonda	8 2	8 2	11 2	11 2	5 4	5 4	6 8	6 8	9 2	9 2	7 —	7 —
Bahraich	8 8	8 4	11 8	11 8	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	9 8	10 —	10 8	10 8
Sitapur	8 8	8 4	11 8	11 —	3 —	3 —	7 12	7 8	10 —	10 —	10 —	9 —
Kheri	8 12	8 8	11 8	11 8	4 4	4 4	7 12	7 12	11 —	10 12	8 8	8 8
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Partábgarh	9 —	8 12	12 —	11 8	4 14	4 14	5 12	5 12	10 —	9 12	...	...
Bánswara	10 8	10 2	13 —	12 —	3 4	3 4	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Mewar (Udaipur)	9 —	8 8	12 11	11 3	5 12	5 6	6 2	5 12	10 2	10 6	8 9	8 5
Hilly Tracts of Mewar (Dungarpur)	11 —	10 8	16 —	15 8	4 —	3 —	6 —	5 4	...	...	...	...
Ajmer	8 12	8 12	13 5	14 9	5 —	4 10	6 8	5 12	11 12	10 12	11 8	10 1
Kishangarh	9 8	9 8	14 8	13 8	5 —	4 —	7 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	11 12	10 8
Bundi	12 5	12 5	18 8	13 8	5 8	5 4	6 2	6 2	18 8	18 8	14 13	14 13
Kotah	8 4	8 4	12 12	10 12	5 8	5 8	6 —	6 —	12 8	11 4	6 8	7 —
Jhalawar	8 —	7 15	11 13½	11 8	5 —	5 —	7 4	7 4	11 1½	10 11	...	...
Tonk	8 5	8 1	14 —	13 —	3 7	3 7	4 —	4 —	13 2	12 2	...	...
Jaipur	9 9	9 3	14 3	13 5	4 14	4 15	5 3	5 4	12 10	12 4	11 12	11 6
Karauli	9 6	8 12	13 2	11 9	5 10	5 10	6 4	6 4	12 8	11 14	10 —	9 6
Dholpur	8 9	8 8½	10 —	12 2	4 4	4 8	4 12	5 4	...	9 10	9 —	9 —
Bharatpur	8 12	8 10	11 14	12 —	4 —	4 —	5 —	5 —	10 12	11 9	9 12	9 8
Alwar	9 12	9 6	14 —	13 —	5 1	5 1	5 4	5 4	12 14	11 11	11 10	11 3
Deoli	9 12	9 9	15 —	13 8	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	12 12	12 12	13 —	13 —
Nasirabad	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	12 8	12 —	8 8	8 8
Shahpura	9 8	9 8	15 8	14 4	5 8	5 4	6 9	6 8	13 4	11 8	11 5	11 —
Western—												
Bikaner	9 2½	9 —	13 2½	12 6½	2 14	2 12	4 8	4 8	...	...	10 2½	9 3½
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Jodhpur	9 12 and 10 2	8 15 and 9 7	12 15	11 12	5 3	5 3	6 8	6 8	13 5	11 11	10 8 and 11 12	10 6 and 11 8
Bálmer	9 —	9 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	7 7	7 —	...	...	13 1	10 12
Erinpura	9 —	8 12	13 4	13 —	5 —	5 —	6 —	6 —	11 —	10 4	11 —	10 8
Sirohi	8 8 and 9 8	8 2 and 9 8	16 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	16 —	20 —	11 —	11 —
Anádra	8 13 and 10 1	8 12 and 10 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 4	6 4	...	...	10 —	10 —
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Central India—												
Indore	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	4 —	4 8	5 8	5 8	10 8	10 8	9 —	9 —
Nimach	8 8	8 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	12 —	12 —	9 —	9 —
Gwalior	8 —	7 14	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 —	5 —	...	...	...	...
Panjab—												
Southern—												
Hissar	9 8	9 4	13 8	11 12	...	...	6 —	6 —	13 —	10 8	12 —	10 —
Ferozpur	10 —	9 8	12 —	12	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	...	...
Central—												
Lahore	10 4	10 12	14 —	14 6	...	...	5 12	5 12	13 6	12 12	9 14	9 2
Gujranwala	10 13	11 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	6 12	6 12	12 —	10 8	10 —	10 —
Gujrat	10 12	11 —	14 —	13 4	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	...	10 —	...
Jhelam	10 4	10 4	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 —	9 —	11 8	10 8

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...	8 3	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	7 9	7 3	21 —	21 —	Pilibit
				9 —	9 6	8 12	8 12	7 8	7 12	20 —	20 —	Bareli
...	...	...	...									
				9 12	9 8		...	8 2	7 8	21 12	21 12	Moradabad
...	...	...	...	9 4	9 8	13 4	...	6 8	6 12	20 —	19 —	Bijnor
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	...	...	4 14	4 14	20 14	20 10	Muzaffarnagar
...	...	...	...	9 5	9 5	11 11	9 9	6 6	6 6	21 4	21 4	Saháranpur
10 10	8 8	10 8	8 8	9 —	9 —	10 —	9 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	Dehra-Dún
8 —	8 —	...	...									*Hills*—
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6 4	6 —	...	...	5 8	5 —	...	...	4 4	4 8	8	7 —	Garhwál
...	...	...	...									(b) OUDH—
				8 8	8 8	...	...	7 —	7 8	20 —	20 —	*Southern*—
...	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	7 12	7 4	20 —	19 —	Partábgarh
...	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	8 —	8 —	6 8	6 —	20 —	19 —	Sultanpur
12 —	10 —	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 12	...	...	8 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Rae-Bareli
...	...	...	8 —	9 —	8 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	19 —	19 —	Unao
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...	...	6 —	5 8	9 4	9 4	9 —	9 —	6 8	6 8	20 —	19 —	Sitapur
...	...	5 8	5 8	8 12	9 —	9 12	10 —					Kheri
9 —	8 —	6 —	6 —									
												Rajputana—
				10 8	10 —	10 4	9 12	6 —	6 —	20 —	20 —	*Eastern*—
...	...	...	...	13 4	12 8	12 8	11 8	6 —	6 —	14 8	14 —	Partábgarh
...	...	7 13	7 —	9 6	9 2	9 13	9 9	6 2	6 3	18 7	18 11	Banswara
...	...											Mewar (Udaipur)
				13 —	12 8	16 —	13 12	...	...	16 —	16 —	Hilly Tracts of Mewar (Dungarpur
...	...	...	...	10 4	10 4	11 12	11 8	...	...	23 —	23 —	Ajmer
...	...	4 8	4 8									
				11 4	11 —	12 —	11 —	...	...	27 —	24 —	Kishangarh
...	...	...	...									
				18 8	18 8	...	...	...	...	19 2	18 2	Bundi
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...	...	...	...	10 8	10 4½	11 —	10 12	5 12	5 12	16 —	16 —	Jhalawar
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...	...	...	...	10 10 and 13 11	9 15 and 13 1	11 8	11 2	12 1	11 11	26 4	26 11	Jaipur
		9 5	9 7									
...	...									18 12	16 9	Karauli
		12 8	10 —	9 1	8 12	12 8	10 —	10 —	...	22 —	22 —	Dholpur
...	...	8 —	8 —	8 12	9 —	...	...	7 —	6 14½	22 8	22 8	Bharatpur
...	...	7 12	7 9	9 —	9 3	9 12	9 12	6 —	6 —	24 9	23 14	Alwar
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...	...	...	...	11 —	10 4	13 5	12 —	...	...			*Western*—
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				9 14	9 14	...	...	...	...	23 —	23 —	Erinpura
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...	...									20 —	20 —	Anádra
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												Central India—
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				10 —	10 —	...	...	6 8	6 4	22 —	22 —	Nimach
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...	...	8 —	10 —									
												Panjab—
												Southern—
				11 —	10 4	...	...	...	...	21 —	21 —	Hissar
				11 —	11 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	25 —	25 —	Ferozpur
...	...	...	...									*Central*—
...	...	10 —	10 —									
				10 2	10 6	9 14	10 —	6 6	6 6	24 8	24 8	Lahore
		15 —	13 12	10 8	10 8	11 —	11 —	...	...	26 8	26 8	Gujranwála
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Districts	Wheat		Barley		Rice				Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Panjab—*continued*												
South-eastern—												
Gurgáon	8 10	8 10	12 6	12 12	...	...	6 4	6 4	10 —	9 8	9 —	9 —
Delhi	8 12	8 12	12 —	12 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	12 —	11 —	10 —	9 8
Rohtak	9 8	9 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 —	11 —	12 —	10 —
Karnál	9 —	9 —	13 8	13 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —
Submontane—												
Ambala	9 10	9 12	11 12	11 12	...	...	7 4	7 4	10 12	10 12	...	...
Ludhiána	10 8	10 4	14 —	13 8	...	...	6 —	5 12	13 12	11 4	8 12	8 8
Jalandhar	10 4	10 4	14 —	14 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	13 —	12 8	8 8	8 8
Hoshiárpur	10 4	10 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	11 —	11 —	8 —	8 —
Gurdáspur	10 12	10 12	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 —	...	...
Amritsar	10 8	10 8	14 8	14 —	...	...	6 4	6 —	14 —	13 —	8 —	8 —
Siálkot	10 4	11 —	12 —	12 8	...	...	6 8	6 4	12 —	9 —	11 —	8 8
Hills—												
Simla	8 —	8 —	9 6	8 —	...	...	4 11	4 12	9 —	8 —	8 —	7 8
Kángra	9 6	9 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 8	5 8	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Ráwalpindi	9 12	9 12	13 4	13 —	...	...	4 12	4 12	10 12	9 12	10 12	10 4
Attock	10 —	9 12	14 —	14 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	9 —	8 —
Western—												
Sháhpur	11 8	11 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —
Jhang	10 6	10 14	13 —	13 12	...	...	6 —	5 8	10 —	9 —	8 —	8 —
Lyallpur	10 12	10 12	11 12	11 12	...	...	6 —	6 4	12 —	12 —	...	...
Multan	10 4	10 4	14 —	14 —	...	...	6 12	6 12	12 4	12 12	11 4	9 12
Montgomery	10 10	10 10	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Muzaffargarh	10 12	10 12	12 8	12 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 8	9 8	7 —	7 —
Dera Ghazi Khan	10 10	10 10	13 12	13 12	...	...	6 4	6 4	10 —	11 —	10 —	10 —
N.-W. Frontier Province—												
Hazára	8 8	8 12	12 —	11 14	3 7½	3 7½	6 —	6 —	...	...	8 8	...
Pesháwar	9 12	9 8	15 —	15 —	4 1	4 6	5 14	5 14	11 —	8 12	10 —	9 12
Kohát	10 7	10 8	14 15	14 15	4 1	4 1	7 5½	7 5½	12 12	8 15	11 8	11 8
Bannu	13 2	13 12	16 8	18 9½	3 4½	3 4½	7 8	8 2	16 14	11 9	12 8	12 8
Dera Ismael Khan	12 3½	12 8	15 3½	15 —	3 7	3 4	4 14½	4 12	16 3½	15 —	13 2½	12 8
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karáchi	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	11 8	11 —	10 8	9 8
Hyderabad	8 8	8 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	10 8	10 8
Thar and Párkar (Umarkot)	8 8	8 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	9 —	9 —	...	...	10 —	11 —
Shikárpur	10 8	10 8	...	...	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	12 —	11 —	12 8	11 12
Upper Sind Frontier	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 —	5 —	6 8	5 8	12 —	11 8	14 —	11 8
Quetta	8 14 to 9 6	8 13 to 9 6	10 3	10 5	3 2	3 2	4 10	4 10	10 11	11 6	9 6	9 11
Bombay—												
Konkan—												
Karwar	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	7 14	...	8 2	10 14	10 14	9 14	9 14
Ratnagiri	6 1	6 1	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 13	7 13	9 2	9 2	9 4	9 4
Alibág	6 —	6 —	...	...	7 3	7 3	8 2	8 2	...	...	9 4	9 4
Bombay	6 8	6 8	...	...	5 7	5 12	6 13	7 2	9 13	9 13	8 10	9 4
Tanna	7 5	7 5	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 15	6 15	10 3	10 3	9 3	9 10
Deccan and Karnátak—												
Dharwar	7 8	7 8	...	...	8 5	8 5	8 12	8 12	12 10	13 1	12 —	12 —
Belgaum	7 1	7 5	...	...	8 6	8 6	8 15	8 15	13 —	13 —	11 11	11 11
Satara	8 6	8 6	...	...	5 12	5 12	7 2	7 2	11 5	12 —	11 1	11 6
Sholapur	6 9	6 9	...	...	5 15	5 15	7 —	7 —	12 15	12 8	11 2	11 2
Bijapur	7 2	7 2	...	...	7 —	7 —	7 8	7 8	11 13	11 13	11 11	11 11
Poona	7 2	7 2	...	...	6 4	6 4	6 12	6 12	10 9	11 12	9 6	10 —
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—												
Ahmadnagar	7 4	8 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	6 13	6 13	11 —	11 —	10 15	10 15
Násik	8 2	7 6	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 3	5 3	10 6	10 6	10 5	10 5
Dhulia	7 7	7 7	...	...	5 8	5 8	6 9	6 9	10 2	10 2	9 15	9 15
Jalgaon	7 4	7 4	...	...	5 9	5 9	6 —	6 —	10 6	10 6	11 1	11 1
Gujarat—												
Surat	6 8	6 8	...	...	4 3	4 3	5 8	5 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4
Broach	7 8	7 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	9 —	9 —
Kaira	8 8	8 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	8 8	8 8
Baroda	7 4	7 4	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	9 8	9 8	8 —	8 8
Ahmadabad	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	11 8	11 8	9 —	9 —
Godhra	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 8	7 8	...	...	9 —	9 —
Disa	9 —	9 —	...	...	5 8	5 —	6 —	5 8	9 8	10 —	9 8	9 4
Kathiawar—												
Rajkot	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	11 12	11 12	9 8	9 8
Central Provinces—												
Western—												
Nimar	8 2	8 1	...	...	4 6	4 6	6 14	6 10	10 2	9 12	...	...
Hoshangabad	9 —	8 —	...	...	4 12	4 12	6 14	6 13	9 11	10 7	...	...
Betul	8 2	7 13	...	...	...	...	6 11	6 4	9 3	8 11	...	...
Chhindwara	7 10	7 10	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	8 7	8 7	...	...
Nagpur	8 4	7 15	...	...	5 3	5 3	9 2	7 13	11 8	10 6	...	...
Wardha	7 8	7 8	...	...	5 11	5 1	7 15	7 10	10 14	10 14	...	...

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Marua or sagi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
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												South-eastern—
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...	...	...	...	9 8	9 4	9 8	9 8	5 8	5 8	22 —	22 —	Delhi
...	...	...	...	10 8	9 8	12 —	11 8	7 —	7 —	22 —	22 —	Rohtak
...	...	...	...	9 10	9 8	8 —	8 —	6 8	6 8	20 —	20 —	Karnál
												Submontane—
...	...	...	...	9 10	9 8	8 12	8 12	6 4	6 4	27 —	27 —	Ambala
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...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	...	...	25 —	25 —	Gurdáspur
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...	...	...	...									*Hills*—
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...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	20 —	21 —	Kángra
												Northern—
...	...	12 8	12 8	9 —	9 4	11 12	11 12	7 12	4 12	28 —	28 —	Ráwalpindi
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	12 —	12 8	7 —	7 —	25 —	25 —	Attock
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 —	10 8	...	...	...	...	23 —	24 —	Sháhpur
14 —	14 —	16 —	13 —	10 4	10 4	10 —	9 2	9 —	8 8	22 —	22 —	Jhang
...	...	...	...	9 8	10 —	...	...	...	...	25 —	25 —	Lyallpur
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...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...	23 12	23 12	Dera Ghazi Khan
												N.-W. Frontier Province—
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...	...	...	...	12 5½	12 7	10 15½	12 8	6 9	6 4	27 —	26 10	Dera Ismael Khan
												Sind and Baluchistan—
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...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	22 —	20 —	Hyderabad
...	...	...	...									Thar and Párkar (Umarkot)
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	26 —	26 —	
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	22 —	22 —	Shikárpur
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	14 —	14 —	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	8 15	9 —	11 10	12 —	5 2	5 4	16 —	16 —	Quetta
												Bombay—
												Konkan—
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10 9	10 9	...	...	7 9	7 9	...	...	6 12	6 12	20 13	20 13	Ratnagiri
...	...	...	...	7 10	7 10	...	...	6 1	6 1	23 13	23 13	Alibág
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												Deccan and Karnátak—
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14 —	14 —	...	...	7 12	8 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	17 5	17 5	Belgaum
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...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 1	6 1	18 —	18 —	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	8 2	8 2	...	...	7 —	7 —	19 10	19 10	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	8 6	8 6	...	...	6 5	6 14	23 —	23 —	Poona
												Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
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12 —	12 —	...	...	8 —	8 8	...	...	5 2	5 2	19 10	19 10	Násik
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11 —	11 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	6 4	6 8	21 —	21 —	Baroda
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...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	25 —	25 —	Disa
												Kathiawar—
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	80 —	80 —	Rajkot
												Central Provinces—
												Western—
...	...	...	...	9 2	9 1	...	...	6 8	6 3	16 —	16 —	Nimar
...	...	...	...	10 2	11 —	...	...	7 3	7 3	18 5	18 5	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	9 5	8 6	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 11	12 11	Betul
...	...	...	...	7 10	7 4	...	...	6 —	6 —	16 —	16 —	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	8 14	8 14	...	...	7 6	6 12	16 —	16 —	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	7 11	7 2	16 —	16 —	Wardha

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Central Provinces— *continued*												
Central—												
Narsinghpur	8 7	8 3	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 5	7 13	10 —	10 —	...	...
Saugor	8 4	8 —	...	...	4 —	3 9	4 6	5 6	10 —	10 —	...	...
Damoh	8 5	8 5	...	...	5 3	5 3	7 12	7 12	9 12	9 12	...	...
Jubbulpore	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Mandla	7 —	6 12	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Seoni	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 4	5 4	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Balaghat	7 10	7 9	...	...	5 10	5 10	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Bhandara	7 6	7 6	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 3	6 3	10 2	10 2	...	...
Chanda	7 4	7 4	...	...	6 2	6 —	6 10	6 10	11 6	11 6	...	...
Eastern—												
Bilaspur	9 2	8 9	...	...	6 8	6 8	8 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Raipur	8 12	8 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 8	8 12	...	...	...	...
Drug	9 1	8 8	...	...	8 13	8 5	9 8	8 10	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Buldana	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	5 14	5 14	11 13	11 13	...	...
Akola	7 4	7 1	...	...	5 —	5 —	5 14	5 14	13 6	12 13	...	...
Amraoti	7 6	7 6	...	...	4 14	4 14	7 1	7 1	10 5	10 5	...	...
Yeotmal	8 —	7 3	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 2	6 3	14 —	14 —	...	...
Nizam's Territories—												
Secunderabad *	5 10	5 14	8 6	8 6	5 2	5 1	6 3	6 8	10 6	10 14	12 10	13 —
Madras—												
Malabar Coast—												
Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4½	7 4½	...	...	...	...
S. Canara	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7½	7 7½	...	...	...	...
South, central—												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	12 3	12 3	12 5	12 5
Nilgiris	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	7 —	12 9	12 9	10 15½	10 15½
Central—												
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 5	10 15½	11 5	...	...
Anantapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	13 —	13 —	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	12 3	12 3	10 13	10 13
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 1	12 9	12 3	...	...
East Coast, north—												
Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 10	5 10	...	...	10 3½	10 3½
Godavari	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 5	10 3	11 3½	...	...
East Coast, central—												
Kistna	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2½	7 2½	9 14	8 5	...	...
Guntur	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	10 7	10 7	10 —	10 —
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 14½	11 7	11 7	...	...
East Coast, south—												
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 14	6 14	...	...	...	...
Chingleput	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 15	6 15	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13½	8 4	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	10 4½	10 4½
Tanjore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 3	7 —	...	...	12 5	12 5
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 3	7 —	15 5	15 5	12 —	11 10½
Southern—							7 13½	8 4	14 2	14 14½	12 —	12 —
Tinnevelly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	13 5½	12 9	10 15½	10 15½
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Mysore—												
Mysore	8 6	8 6	7 —	7 —	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 —	17 5	17 5	...	...
Bangalore	7 10	7 10	7 1	7 1	5 12	5 7	6 14	6 14	13 —	13 —	...	12 —
Kolar	6 —	6 —	6 —	6 —	5 —	5 —	6 —	6 4	...	...	...	...
Tumkur	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	5 8	6 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Hassan	6 4	6 2	7 —	7 —	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Kadur	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	6 —	6 4	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...
Shimoga	6 8	6 8	...	...	5 —	5 8	7 —	7 —	15 —	16 —	...	...
Chitaldrug	7 —	7 —	7 —	7 —	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	16 —	16 —
Coorg—												
Coorg	5 8	6 4	6 4	6 12	6 4	6 12	7 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Aden	6 2	6 3	...	...	5 10	5 10	6 3	6 3	10 11	10 11	11 3	11 3

* Including Bolaram

state the number of sers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine coracana*)		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*)		MAIZE (*Zea Mays*)		ARHAR DÁL		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Central Provinces—
												continued
												Central—
				9 10	9 9	...	...	7 14	7 14	17 —	17 —	Narsinghpur
...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	...	...	6 1	6 6	18 5	18 5	Sangor
...	...	...	...	8 14	8 14	...	...	6 —	6 —	16 —	16 —	Damoh
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	17 —	17 —	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	...	...	6 —	6 —	11 8	11 8	Mandla
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	16 —	16 —	Seoni
...	...	...	...	7 10	7 10	...	...	5 —	5 —	16 12	16 12	Bálághát
...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	...	...	6 3	6 3	16 —	16 —	Bhandára
...	...	...	...	8 14	8 14	...	...	6 10	6 10	16 —	16 —	Chánda
												Eastern—
										12 13	12 13	Bilaspur
				8 9	8 9	...	...	5 13	5 13	15 —	15 —	Raipur
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 4	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 9	16 9	Drug
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 —	7 —			
												Berar—
										18 —	18 —	Buldána
				8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...			
...	...	...	...							17 2	17 2	Akola
				7 13	7 13	...	...	6 8	6 8			
...	...	...	...							20 —	20 —	Amráoti
				8 8	8 8	...	...	7 6	7 6	15 6	15 6	Yeotmal
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 12	7 2			
...	...	...	...									Nizam's Territories—
										14 —	14 —	Secunderabad
13 4	13 —	...	...	7 4	7 2	...	...	9 11	9 9			
												Madras—
												Malabar Coast—
										19 7	20 5	Malabar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 2	20 11	S. Canara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			*South, central*—
										18 9	18 9	Coimbatore
13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 —	15 8	Nilgiris
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 9	17 9	Salem
12 9	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			*Central*—
										18 4	17 13	Bellary
12 10	12 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 6	22 1½	Anantapur
13 14	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 8	19 8	Cuddapah
14 7	14 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 8	17 10	Karnul
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			*East Coast, north*—
										25 3	26 4	Ganjam
10 —	9 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 —	20 —	Vizagapatam
10 5½	10 3½	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 —	24 —	Godávari
9 11	10 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			*East Coast, central*—
										27 —	27 —	Kistna
11 6	11 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 3	26 3	Guntur
10 13	10 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 3	26 3	Nellore
12 6	12 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			*East Coast, south*—
										29 1	28 7	Madras
11 5	11 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29 4	26 13	Chingleput
9 15⅝	9 15½	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23 11	24 3	N. Arcot
12 9	11 13½	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 8	23 13	S. Arcot
11 13½	11 13½	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
										27 2	23 10	Tanjore
12 9⅛	12 9½	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
										21 12	21 12	Trichinopoly
13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			*Southern*—
										27 10	27 10	Tinnevelly
13 5	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 —	23 13	Madura
13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
												Mysore—
										18 4	18 4	Mysore
16 2	16 2	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 9	6 9	20 11	20 11	Bangalore
13 —	13 —	...	...	7 5	7 5	...	...	5 8	5 —	18 —	18 —	Kolar
12 —	12 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	19 —	17 —	Tumkur
15 —	15 —	...	...	6 8	7 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	16 —	16 —	Hassan
16 —	16 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	19 —	19 —	Kadur
17 —	17 —	...	...	8 —	7 12	...	...	5 12	5 12	19 —	18 —	Shimoga
15 —	16 —	...	...	7 6	7 6	...	...	6 —	6 —	16 —	18 —	Chitaldrug
16 —	16 —	20 —	20 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 —	
												Coorg—
										18 —	18 —	Coorg
17 8	17 —	...	...	15 —	15 8	...	...	6 8	6 4			
					8 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	32 —	32 —	Aden
...	...	...	...	...								

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Total Gross Indian Sea and Land Customs Revenue (excluding Salt Revenue)

[In thousands of Rupees]

	In the five months, April to August, of									
	1899-1900	1900-01	1901-02	1902-03	1903-04	1904-05	1905-06	1906-07	1907-08	1908-09
SEA CUSTOMS										
IMPORTS										
Special Import Duties										
Arms, ammunition, and military stores	1,12	1,02	1,13	1,30	1,19	1,60	1,35	1,50	2,06	1,86
Liquors—										
Ale, beer, porter, cider and other fermented liquors	84	80	86	88	1,09	1,18	1,12	1,19	1,16	2,12
Spirits and liqueurs	26,91	26,31	26,52	26,95	30,00	30,48	32,18	28,30	37,25	38,23
Wines	1,37	1,32	1,34	1,47	1,37	1,31	1,45	1,38	1,46	1,46
Opium	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	1	2	2
Petroleum	15,69	17,83	22,69	22,06	18,79	19 59	16,33	14,95	19,09	22,78
Sugar (countervailing duties, 1899)	1,36	7,96	14,28	14,66	1,92	6	1	...	...	...
Sugar (countervailing duties, 1902)	—	—	—	2,81	12	4	...	...	...	...
General Import Duties										
Articles of food and drink (excluding sugar)	4,73	5,14	4,56	4,63	4,78	5,33	6,74	6,86	8,14	9,28
Sugar (ordinary duties)	5,22	9,98	11,41	10,38	9,48	11,34	8,30	20,25	15,02	13,52
Chemicals, drugs, medicines and narcotics, and dyeing and tanning materials	4,47	4,04	4,63	4,72	5,47	5,14	5,45	5,89	7,41	6,69
Cotton manufactures—										
Piece goods, grey	21,38	18,40	20,12	21,90	20,66	21,94	26,26	28,31	28,24	21,69
" white	8,52	7,70	13,07	7,33	8,11	11,47	12,25	10,13	15,86	13,23
" coloured	10,13	7,63	8,93	8,32	10,63	11,98	12,46	12,31	14,05	15,46
Other goods	93	82	94	63	1,04	1,74	1,90	1,93	1,95	2,06
Metals and manufactures of—										
Silver, bullion and coin	12,45	4,63	12,39	19,25	14,88	19,44	14,88	17,86	21,68	31,29
Other metals and manufactures of metals	6,61	8,77	9,32	13,00	11,84	15,30	12,21	12,68	15,73	21,90
Oils (excluding petroleum)	56	56	67	67	41	40	46	91	90	69
Manufactured articles	20,31	20,01	23 48	21,95	25,08	29,25	30,62	31,10	35.99	39.25
Raw materials and unmanufactured articles	2,57	3,40	3,84	3,42	3,32	4,13	4,71	4,41	5,06	7,05
TOTAL IMPORTS	1,45,18	1,46,33	1,80,20	1,85,75	1,70,19	1,91,73	1,88,70	1,99,07	2,31,07	2,48,60
EXCISE DUTY ON COTTON GOODS	5,61	4,32	6,36	7,01	7,65	7,87	9,10	8,82	11,07	11,88
EXPORT DUTIES—										
Rice and Rice-flour	38,52	33,72	33 40	45,96	47,47	51,20	44,62	45,45	41,68	30,00
LAND CUSTOMS AND MISCELLANEOUS	3.05	3,34	3,35	3,59	3,69	4,04	3,35	3,82	4,79	3,74
GRAND TOTAL	1,92,36	1,87,71	2,23,31	2,42,31	2,29,00	2,54,84	2,45,77	2,58,06	2,88,11	2,94,22
Provincial distribution of Imports and exports										
Bengal — Imports	60,15	61,55	67,06	68,62	61,15	67,53	68,78	71,21	86,57	75,43
Bengal — Exports	7,09	8,37	5,29	5,67	5,79	7,04	8,87	5,20	3,76	1,71
Eastern Bengal and Assam — Imports	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18	28	37
Eastern Bengal and Assam — Exports	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	...	...	1
Bombay — Imports	51,97	45,69	65,87	72,40	62,46	74,23	70,51	74,75	84,69	94,63
Bombay — Exports	62	1,41	98	1,49	82	1,09	70	68	67	86
Sind — Imports	9,23	13 91	18,64	18,24	14,24	14,71	15,66	19,19	18,79	26,95
Sind — Exports	44	19	84	55	34	63	47	1,34	1,62	43
Madras — Imports	12,50	12,92	14 96	14,56	16,31	16,35	16,30	15,63	19,10	23,35
Madras — Exports	2,84	1,28	2,32	2,87	3,77	3,34	1,97	2,96	4,71	4,68
Burma — Imports	11,33	12,26	13,67	11,93	16,03	18,91	17,45	19,01	21,64	27,86
Burma — Exports	27,53	22,47	23,97	35,38	36,75	39,10	32,61	35,27	30,92	22,31

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RESULTS OF THE MEASURES ADOPTED FOR THE DESTRUCTION OF WILD ANIMALS AND VENOMOUS SNAKES DURING THE YEAR 1907.

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RESOLUTION.

The total mortality amongst human beings reported to be due to wild animals in 1907 amounted to 1,966 as compared with 2,086 in 1906. The total is the lowest on record since the practice of collecting these statistics was initiated. The most noticeable variations from the figures of last year occur in Bengal, the United Provinces, and the Central Provinces, while in Madras there was a comparatively large increase—from 167 to 201—in the number of persons killed by tigers. In Bengal the mortality rose from 756 in 1906 to 840, and is reported to be the result chiefly of an increase in the Patna division, where 142 persons were killed as against 54 in the preceding year. This is due to the ravages of a pack of wolves which came down from Nepal and infested the jungles round the Pandu river in the Madhubani sub-division of the Darbhanga district. A reward of Rs. 10 has been offered by the local officers for every wolf killed in the neighbourhood, and the District Magistrate has also distributed guns to suitable persons. The district of Hazaribagh is still a prey to the depredations of wolves, 47 persons having been killed by these animals against 42 in 1906. The Deputy Commissioner has offered an increased reward to ensure their destruction. Elephants were responsible for 16 deaths as against 18 in the preceding year. Of these 8 occurred in the Darjeeling district. The Deputy Commissioner has invited the inhabitants of villages liable to attack from wild elephants to apply for licenses to possess guns, and has also recommended that arrangements should be made for a Government khedda party now working in the Jalpaiguri district of Eastern Bengal and Assam to start operations in Darjeeling. The Commissioner of the Bhagalpur division is making inquiries in the matter. The number of deaths caused by tigers in Bengal rose from 295 in 1906 to 355, the increase occurring principally in the districts of Khulna, Hazaribagh, Ranchi, and Singhbhum, which recorded 70, 40, 53, and 85 deaths, respectively, against 58, 23, 26, and 52 in the preceding year. The increased mortality in the districts of Hazaribagh and Singhbhum was due to two man-eaters, for whose destruction special rewards of Rs. 500 and Rs. 100, respectively, were offered. Every effort has been made to kill these animals, but without effect. There was a striking difference in the number of persons killed by tigers in the district of Angul, *viz.*, from 45 in 1906 to 26 in 1907,

and the Deputy Commissioner attributes this result to the destruction of two man-eaters in the Khondmal sub-division.

In the United Provinces the mortality fell from 280 in 1906 to 159. The decrease is principally due to a noticeable decline in the number of deaths caused by wolves in the Allahabad division. The district officers of Fatehpur and Cawnpore each report 3 deaths from wolves against 86 and 22 in the preceding year. No reason is assigned for the decrease in Cawnpore, but in the Fatehpur district a couple of large female wolves and six or eight male wolves were destroyed in February 1907, and from that date loss of life ceased. In the Kumaun division tigers are reported to have caused 39 deaths as against 20 in 1906. Thirty-two of these deaths occurred in the neighbourhood of Lohaghat in the Almora district, where two or three tigers took to man-eating. They were destroyed and in one case a reward of Rs. 200 was paid: in another case special rewards in the shape of firearms were given by order of the Lieutenant-Governor. The Deputy Commissioner of Almora reports that a leopard, for which a reward of Rs. 50 was sanctioned, has not yet been killed, though it is still preying on human beings at intervals. Special measures have been taken to hunt it down and the reward has been raised.

The mortality in the Central Provinces fell from 262 in 1906 to 174 in 1907. Tigers killed 86 persons, a figure which, though 21 in excess of that of the previous year, is much lower than the average for the last six years. Chanda and Balaghat each return 21 fatalities from this cause. No regular man-eater is known to exist in the former district, but in the latter there are still two or three man-eating tigers infesting the Baihar tahsil. A case is reported from this district in which a Gond was treed by a tiger and rescued by a large body of villagers, but was snatched away from the rescuing party as it was returning home. The mortality from panthers was comparatively small, amounting to 34 deaths as against 106 and 126 in the two preceding years. In Chanda the number of human kills by panthers was reduced from 27 to 1, owing to the destruction by a native shikari of the notorious man-eater of the Panabaras zamindari. To the destruction of the same animal is attributed the remarkable decrease, from 32 to 1, in the number of deaths from panthers in the Drug district, where in the preceding year heavy mortality was caused in the Dhondi-Lohara zamindari, which adjoins Panabaras.

2. The total mortality amongst human beings caused by snake-bite fell from 22,811 in 1906 to 21,419 in 1907. So low a figure has not been reached since 1897. The decrease is noticeable mainly in Bengal and Eastern Bengal and Assam where the figures fell from 8,862 and 2,730 in 1906 to 8,276 and 1,900, respectively, in 1907. The most important increases occurred in Madras and Burma where the figures rose from 1,527 and 1,149 in 1906 to 1,677 and 1,348, respectively. The highest mortality in Bengal occurred as usual in the Patna division, the number of deaths being 3,393 as compared with 3,636 in 1906. The decrease in Eastern Bengal and Assam is attributed to the floods having been lower. The Central Provinces figure (996) is the lowest returned in any one of the last seven years. The Lauder-Brunton treatment of snake-bite

by incision and application of permanganate of potash and the distribution of lancets continues, but as usual the value of the results is discounted by the absence of identification of the snake that inflicted the bite. In Burma nearly all the deaths occurred in paddy tracts where Russell's viper is particularly prevalent. Steps are being taken in this province to ensure a wide distribution of Brunton lancets. It is too early yet to pronounce with any certainty as to the result of the experiment, but a number of favourable reports have been received. It is reported that in the Pegu district six men and one buffalo bitten by Russell's vipers were operated on by headmen to whom lancets had been issued and that all but one man, who was unconscious before being brought to the *thugyi*, recovered. Eight cases are reported from the United Provinces of the successful use of Dr. Calmette's antivenene. In two of these cases the permanganate of potash treatment was also employed.

3. The total number of cattle destroyed by wild animals was 88,835 as compared with 86,467 in 1906. The most remarkable increase, though the local Government expresses a doubt as to the accuracy of the returns, occurred in the United Provinces where the figures rose from 5,972 in 1906 to 9,306. This is mainly due to the number (6,105) of cattle killed by leopards in the Kumaun division and chiefly in the Garhwal district where 3,916 deaths occurred against 843 in 1906. The number of cattle killed by bears in Kumaun shows, however, a further decrease from 672 to 265 in the year under report, the figure for 1905 having been 1,065. In the Punjab also there was a considerable increase in the number of cattle killed by wild animals, the figure being 2,808 in 1907 as compared with 1,775 in 1906, the former being the highest figure recorded since 1886. The increase is chiefly due to the ravages of leopards and wolves in the Kangra and Mianwali districts. The number of cattle killed by snake-bite rose from 8,187 in 1906 to 9,839.

4. The number of wild animals destroyed was 15,711 as compared with 15,855 in 1906. Fewer tigers were destroyed, but leopards, bears, and wolves were destroyed in larger numbers. The rewards paid for the destruction of wild animals amounted to Rs. 1,30,963 as compared with Rs. 1,21,528 in 1906. It was found necessary by the Government of Burma to offer a reward of Rs. 10 for every full-grown crocodile killed in the Mergui district, where these animals were responsible for the deaths of many human beings. The total number of snakes killed was 61,734 as compared with 61,830 in 1906, and the amount of the rewards paid for their destruction was Rs. 2,670 as against Rs. 2,639 in 1906.

5. The number of licenses (in Form XI) issued free of cost under the Indian Arms Act, 1878, for the destruction of wild animals or the protection of crops during the year was 11,796 against 9,357 in 1906; and the total number of licenses of this nature in force, including such as were valid from previous years, amounted to 43,583 as against 39,706 in 1906. A larger number of these licenses was granted during the year in each province except Madras and the United Provinces, but in Eastern Bengal and Assam, where the number is 3,984 as

compared with 2,299 in 1906, the large increase is due to the conversion of licenses in Form VIII to those in Form XI in the Assam Valley districts.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to local Governments and Administrations* and that it be published in the supplement to the *Gazette of India* for general information; also that a copy be forwarded to the Director-General of Commercial Intelligence.

* Including the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioners of the North-West Frontier Province and Ajmer-Merwara and the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

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No. 1.

NUMBER OF PERSONS KILLED IN EACH PROVINCE OF BRITISH INDIA BY WILD ANIMALS (SPECIFYING THE PRINCIPAL KINDS) AND SNAKES IN EACH CALENDAR YEAR FROM 1903 TO 1907.

No. 1.

NUMBER OF PERSONS KILLED in each PROVINCE of BRITISH INDIA by WILD ANIMALS (specifying the principal kinds) and SNAKES in each calendar year from 1903 to 1907.

Province		By wild animals								By snakes	Grand Total
		Elephants	Tigers	Leopards	Bears	Wolves	Hyenas	Other animals	Total		
Madras	1903	3	129	79	22	2	2	201	438	2,011	2,4
	1904	4	110	62	10	1	...	30	237	1,932	2,1
	1905	4	155	80	9	8	2	41	299	1,896	2,1
	1906	6	107	68	22	1	2	13	279	1,527	1,8
	1907	6	201	53	9	4	...	22	295	1,677	1,9
Bombay	1903	...	28	15	...	12	...	15	70	1,008	1,0
	1904	1	5	6	2	2	2	15	33	1,129	1,1
	1905	...	4	7	...	..	...	19	30	1,111	1,1
	1906	...	10	13	...	20	2	13	58	1,143	1,2
	1907	1	9	27	...	8	1	20	66	1,171	1,2
Bengal	1903	9	359	198	47	119	14	374	1,120	10,394	11,5
	1904	20	342	209	43	111	19	343	1,087	10,052	11,1
	1905	9	390	104	28	56	15	203	805	8,245	9,0
	1906	18	295	112	36	67	7	221	756	8,862	9,6
	1907	16	355	77	26	185	12	169	840	8,276	9,1
United Provinces	1903	2	45	18	5	278	1	55	404	4,964	5,3
	1904	...	11	18	8	90	3	63	193	5,152	5,3
	1905	2	14	21	9	76	1	50	173	4,967	5,1
	1906	2	24	14	17	178	6	39	280	5,188	5,4
	1907	...	42	16	5	60	2	34	159	5,080	5,2
Punjab	1903	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	3	797	8
	1904	...	1	3	...	3	...	4	11	974	9
	1905	...	...	2	3	3	...	9	17	923	9
	1906	...	...	...	1	5	2	...	8	1,060	1,0
	1907	...	...	3	2	4	2	8	19	903	9
North-West Frontier Province	1903	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	34	
	1904	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6	19	
	1905	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	21	
	1906	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	37	
	1907	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	
Burma	1903	7	53	13	9	...	...	19	101	1,031	1,1
	1904	8	87	6	8	...	...	16	125	836	9
	1905	7	43	5	3	...	...	6	64	960	1,0
	1906	8	59	7	5	...	...	9	88	1,149	1,2
	1907	1	43	9	11	...	...	12	76	1,348	1,4
Central Provinces and Berar	1903	...	196	188	17	51	7	11	470	1,386	1,8
	1904	1	180	93	19	37	2	19	351	1,550	1,9
	1905	...	105	126	18	9	4	31	293	1,280	1,5
	1906	...	65	106	15	1	...	75	262	1,100	1,3
	1907	...	86	34	14	6	2	32	174	996	1,1
Eastern Bengal and Assam	1903	17	55	1	17	...	...	31	(a) 138	172	3
	1904	18	50	2	11	...	...	32	113	185	2
	1905	26	75	57	18	1	1	191	369	2,363	2,7
	1906	26	78	58	14	...	...	176	352	2,730	3,0
	1907	29	57	73	18	10	2	146	335	1,900	2,2
Coorg	1903	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
	1904	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	
	1905	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
	1906	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
	1907	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ajmer-Merwara	1903	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	
	1904	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	
	1905	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	
	1906	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	14	
	1907	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	34	
Bangalore	1903	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1904	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1905	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1906	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1907	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Total	1903	38	866	513	117	463	24	711	2,749	21,827	24,5
	1904	52	786	399	102	244	26	548	2,157	21,880	24,0
	1905	48	786	402	88	153	24	550	2,051	21,797	23,8
	1906	60	698	378	110	273	19	548	2,086	22,811	24,8
	1907	53	793	292	85	277	21	445	1,966	21,419	23,3

(a) Includes 17 persons killed in the Lushai Hills, details not available.

No. 2.

UMBER of CATTLE KILLED in each PROVINCE of BRITISH INDIA by WILD ANIMALS (specifying the principal kinds) and SNAKES, in each calendar year from 1903 to 1907.

Province		By wild animals								By snakes	Grand Total.
		Elephants	Tigers	Leopards	Bears	Wolves	Hyenas	Other animals	Total		
adras	1903	...	2,318	8,031	39	187	370	33	10,978	2,328	13,306
	1904	4	2,634	8,877	30	179	191	141	12,056	2,090	14,146
	1905	3	3,204	9,983	...	63	27	63	13,343	2,048	15,391
	1906	2	3,046	10,619	5	61	44	41	13,818	1,765	15,583
	1907	4	3,448	9,687	1	12	63	7	13,222	1,998	15,220
mbay ...	1903	...	600	843	...	3,030	141	59	4,673	129	4,802
	1904	...	527	928	...	4,418	68	68	6,009	82	6,091
	1905	...	709	748	...	4,542	112	95	6,206	145	6,351
	1906	1	477	759	...	6,019	230	267	7,753	198	7,951
	1907	...	353	1,043	2	5,234	94	325	7,051	231	7,282
ngal	1903	1	7,714	10,085	31	1,947	1,641	816	22,235	635	22,870
	1904	3	7,046	11,721	41	1,468	1,988	1,239	23,506	703	24,209
	1905	63	6,196	7,391	9	1,538	1,926	1,304	18,427	316	18,743
	1906	1	5,828	6,856	51	1,678	1,601	1,008	17,023	256	17,279
	1907	8	6,088	6,776	19	1,740	1,508	827	16,966	350	17,316
ited Provinces ...	1903	...	1,013	4,358	302	481	96	108	6,358	543	6,901
	1904	...	713	5,689	1,196	604	20	104	8,326	578	8,904
	1905	...	962	5,375	1,066	669	57	146	8,275	246	8,521
	1906	...	1,495	3,241	672	474	28	62	5,972	465	6,437
	1907	1	1,240	6,787	276	822	154	26	9,306	682	9,988
njab	1903	...	...	1,390	74	505	3	...	1,972	14	1,986
	1904	...	2	992	4	461	...	1	1,460	22	1,482
	1905	...	1	1,429	...	296	53	...	1,779	6	1,785
	1906	...	3	1,308	...	425	39	...	1,775	8	1,783
	1907	...	...	1,963	...	788	55	2	2,808	23	2,831
rth-West Frontier Province	1903	...	1	67	4	617	1	1	691	2	693
	1904	...	2	11	...	403	...	...	416	...	416
	1905	...	29	28	...	154	3	36	250	...	250
	1906	...	...	...	...	125	26	...	151	2	153
	1907	...	...	12	...	92	10	...	114	1	115
rma	1903	...	4,681	1,872	3	15	2	70	6,643	5,572	12,215
	1904	...	3,981	1,861	12	83	...	167	6,104	5,990	12,094
	1905	...	4,101	1,866	27	8	2	293	6,297	4,406	10,703
	1906	...	4,482	2,262	17	12	9	343	7,125	4,499	11,624
	1907	1	3,938	2,110	24	24	17	122	6,236	5,461	11,697
ntral Provinces and Berar...	1903	...	5,310	8,134	13	2,596	251	1,108	17,412	663	18,075
	1904	...	4,995	8,212	11	2,368	270	995	16,851	778	17,629
	1905	...	5,382	9,274	5	1,828	239	975	17,703	571	18,274
	1906	...	4,624	7,366	12	1,022	144	553	13,721	570	14,291
	1907	...	5,240	7,470	13	925	151	632	14,431	765	15,697
stern Bengal and Assam ...	1903	6	8,633	5,068	23	...	8	177	(a) 14,297	105	14,402
	1904	12	7,654	4,207	15	...	43	681	12,612	126	12,738
	1905	10	9,473	8,668	18	128	3	917	19,217	355	19,572
	1906	19	7,920	8,961	17	26	39	911	17,893	424	18,317
	1907	20	8,926	7,757	35	27	32	851	17,648	324	17,972
org	1903	...	671	286	...	...	...	15	972	3	975
	1904	...	539	310	...	...		14	863	6	869
	1905	...	644	542	...	...	...	5	1,191	6	1,197
	1906	...	838	390	...	...	...	1	1,229	...	1,229
	1907	...	670	367	...	...	...	10	1,047	4	1,051
mer-Merwara	1903	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	1904	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	4	1	5
	1905	...	...	15	...	6	...	...	21	...	21
	1906	...	1	6	...	...	...	...	7	..	7
	1907	...	...	5	...	...	1	...	6	...	6
Total ...	1903	7	30,942	40,134	489	9,378	2,513	2,387	86,232	9,994	96,226
	1904	19	28,093	42,812	1,309	9,984	2,580	3,410	88,207	10,376	98,583
	1905	76	30,701	45,319	1,125	9,232	2,422	3,834	92,709	8,099	100,808
	1906	23	28,714	41,768	774	9,842	2,160	3,186	86,467	8,187	94,654
	1907	34	29,903	43,977	370	9,664	2,085	2,802	88,835	9,839	98,674

(a) Includes 382 head of cattle killed in the Lushai Hills, details not available.

No.

NUMBER of WILD ANIMALS and SNAKES DESTROYED and AMOUNT of REWARDS (in

Province		By wild animals								Snakes
		Elephants	Tigers	Leopards	Bears	Wolves	Hyenas	Other animals	Total number of animals	
Madras	1903	...	80	659	53	...	2	2	796	...
	1904	...	104	647	54	...	...	...	805	..
	1905	...	92	666	50	...	...	1	809	...
	1906	...	83	724	78	...	1	20	906	...
	1907	...	69	646	56	...	...	26	797	...
Bombay	1903	...	34	156	...	140	8	61	399	9,954
	1904	...	53	211	8	191	2	260	725	13,022
	1905	...	74	191	8	166	13	414	866	11,787
	1906	...	39	206	6	152	13	328	744	14,009
	1907	...	59	189	10	135	13	415	821	13,698
Bengal	1903	3	214	934	201	65	285	3,941	5,643	24,334
	1904	1	215	801	152	58	215	3,771	5,213	24,865
	1905	...	117	367	158	31	345	500	1,518	22,751
	1906	1	125	415	185	123	223	449	1,521	19,182
	1907	1	115	438	128	101	203	618	1,604	20,499
United Provinces	1903	...	87	398	423	1,235	491	32	2,576	6,935
	1904	...	106	409	374	650	272	32	1,843	6,958
	1905	...	121	468	234	727	192	92	1,834	6,555
	1906	...	78	533	199	1,254	323	199	2,586	7,372
	1907	...	105	577	387	1,702	142	58	2,971	8,880
Punjab	1903	...	2	91	81	380	4	...	564	8,039
	1904	...	...	137	130	617	...	...	884	7,391
	1905	...	...	70	161	611	...	...	842	5,982
	1906	...	1	76	177	821	4	4	1,080	5,071
	1907	...	...	128	221	463	1	1	827	3,937
North-West Frontier Province ...	1903	..	...	30	5	98	2	...	135	1,462
	1904	...	...	15	6	68	...	...	89	1,307
	1905	...	...	21	7	122	2	...	152	1,395
	1906	...	...	1	...	70	...	...	81	1,213
	1907	...	...	25	...	36	...	...	61	788
Burma	1903	8	311	883	669	...	...	411	2,282	7,057
	1904	5	276	826	762	...	...	158	2,027	7,479
	1905	9	293	1,002	830	...	...	108	2,242	7,460
	1906	4	356	960	745	...	2	202	2,269	8,403
	1907	13	344	1,136	815	...	1	82	2,391	8,871
Central Provinces and Berar ...	1903	...	204	647	130	160	...	268	1,409	413
	1904	...	230	739	128	238	...	347	1,682	508
	1905	...	196	925	169	351	...	891	2,532	177
	1906	...	193	752	195	152	...	376	1,668	212
	1907	...	186	804	203	345	...	333	1,871	644
Eastern Bengal and Assam ...	1903	3	342	534	438	...	...	859	2,176	4,325
	1904	5	342	548	513	...	2	1,178	2,588	3,591
	1905	3	449	1,061	619	8	...	3,633	5,773	7,580
	1906	3	471	914	396	5	...	2,953	4,742	6,134
	1907	7	406	911	333	6	8	2,317	3,988	4,200
Coorg	1903	3	10	33	...	...	...	274	320	14
	1904	...	9	27	...	...	...	213	249	6
	1905	...	12	38	...	...	...	208	258	13
	1906	...	11	25	1	...	...	212	240	3
	1907	4	10	37	...	...	...	317	368	5
Ajmer-Merwara	1903	...	1	5	...	2	10	...	18	18
	1904	...	...	10	...	...	6	...	16	19
	1905	...	1	2	...	...	2	...	5	19
	1906	...	...	4	...	...	5	...	9	14
	1907	...	...	3	...	...	9	..	12	16
Bangalore	1903	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	194
	1904	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	232
	1905	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	398
	1906	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	127
	1907	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	136
TOTAL ...	1903	17	1,285	4,370	2,000	2,086	712	5,848	16,318	62,745
	1904	11	1,335	4,371	2,127	1,822	497	5,959	16,122	65,378
	1905	12	1,355	4,811	2,236	2,016	554	5,847	16,831	64,117
	1906	8	1,357	4,620	1,982	2,577	571	4,740	15,855	61,830
	1907	25	1,294	4,894	2,153	2,788	377	4,180	15,711	61,734

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rupees) paid for their DESTRUCTION in each calendar year from 1903 to 1907.

REWARDS PAID FOR DESTRUCTION OF									Grand Total.
Elephants	Tigers	Leopards	Bears	Wolves	Hyenas	Other animals	Total	Snakes	
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
...	...	10,233	221	...	...	10	13,919	...	13,919
...	3,455	9,912	233	...	...	...	13,901	...	13,901
...	3,756	10,316	227	...	...	10	14,140		14,140
...	3,587	10,807	348	...	...	214	14,831	...	14,831
...	3,462	10,306	232	...	...	240	13,698	...	13,698
...	2,920								
							2,535	150	2,685
...	498	1,590	...	447	...	...	3,452	152	3,604
...	804	2,024	72	552	...	...	3,580	130	3,710
...	1,149	1,871	87	470	1	2	3,138	128	3,266
...	690	2,019	72	356	1	...	2,981	139	3,120
...	822	1,773	78	308	...	...			
							7,387	340	7,727
...	3,727	2,484	346	181	502	147	6,526	381	6,907
...	3,500	1,904	222	190	385	325	6,173	302	6,475
...	3,852	1,497	313	90	309	112	6,166	306	6,472
...	3,263	1,019	379	308	391	206	6,513	206	6,719
300	3,285	1,781	200	340	336	271			
							9,971	46	10,017
...	945	1,791	1,119	5,267	776	73	6,158	36	6,194
...	846	1,928	984	1,814	521	65	8,510	112	8,622
...	856	2,834	603	3,199	314	674	13,788	415	14,203
...	...	4,284	714	7,932	520	338	19,565	928	20,493
...	200	4,374	1,475	12,885	255	376			
							2,373	1,235	3,608
...	8	587	558	1,208	12	...	3,997	1,079	5,076
...	...	1,010	920	2,067	...	...	3,388	925	4,313
...	...	494	971	1,923		...	4,174	821	4,995
...	16	514	1,356	2,283	...	5	4,040	629	4,669
...	...	990	1,575	1,475	...	...			
							657	202	859
...	...	199	35	423	...	...	442	185	627
...	...	104	34	304	...	...	717	185	902
...	...	157	18	542	...	...	414	213	627
...	...	86	...	328	...	...	276	150	426
...	...	110	...	166	...	...			
							31,274	2	31,276
...	11,102	14,191	5,851	...	...	40	30,087	1	30,088
...	10,450	13,032	6,605	...	...	...	33,861	32	33,893
100	10,890	15,636	7,175	...	..	60	34,135	29	34,164
...	12,890	15,053	6,092	...	10	90	39,284	...	39,284
100	12,710	19,077	7,257	...	5	135			
							23,332	115	23,447
...	9,830	8,089	628	1,062	...	3,723	28,237	170	28,407
...	10,420	10,581	624	1,618	...	4,994	38,018	81	38,099
...	9,635	12,683	826	1,894	...	12,980	26,476	93	26,569
...	9,700	10,247	934	767	...	4,828	27,176	282	27,458
...	8,710	11,327	1,075	1,379	...	4,685			
							13,004	678	13,682
200	5,586	4,244	2,949	...	...	25	13,267	656	13,923
100	5,513	4,304	3,308	...	...	42	17,811	816	18,627
100	7,452	5,880	4,060	...	...	319	17,548	590	18,138
200	8,380	5,412	3,075	...	...	481	16,028	291	16,319
150	6,735	5,792	2,707	...	12	632			
							1,125	...	1,125
...	380	745	...	...	...	...	908	1	909
...	365	543	...	...	...	...	1,429	...	1,429
...	580	829	...	...	...	20	827	1	828
...	280	547	...	...	...	...	1,360	...	1,360
...	500	855	...	...	...	5			
							104	2	106
...	50	23	...	6	25	...	58	2	60
...	...	40	...	...	18	...	23	2	25
...	7	10	...	...	6	...	31	2	33
...	...	18	...	...	13	...	42	3	45
...	...	15	...	...	27	...			
							...	57	57
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	64	64
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	91	91
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	41
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	42
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
200	35,671	44,176	11,707	8,594	1,315	4,018	1,05,681	2,827	1,08,508
100	35,654	45,382	13,002	6,545	924	5,426	1,07,033	2,727	1,09,760
200	38,008	52,207	14,280	8,118	660	14,177	1,27,650	2,676	1,30,326
200	38,681	50,606	12,970	11,974	935	6,162	1,21,528	2,639	1,24,167
550	35,882	56,400	14,599	16,553	635	6,344	1,30,963	2,670	1,33,633

No. 4

NUMBER of LICENSES ISSUED (free of charge) under the INDIAN ARMS ACT, 1878, for the purpose of DESTRUCTION of WILD ANIMALS or of PROTECTION of CROPS, in each calendar year from 1903 to 1907.

Province.		Number of licenses granted in the year.	Number of licenses granted in previous years and still in force.	Total number of licenses in force in the year.
Madras	1903	400	1,716	2,116
	1904	388	1,668	2,056
	1905	541	1,636	2,177
	1906	723	1,703	2,426
	1907	440	1,857	2,297
Bombay	1903	1,001	3,938	4,939
	1904	654	4,319	4,973
	1905	1,088	4,422	5,510
	1906	647	5,113	5,760
	1907	1,141	5,138	6,279
Bengal	1903	268	1,773	2,041
	1904	663	1,719	2,382
	1905	209	2,005	2,214
	1906	236	1,987	2,223
	1907	285	1,528	1,813
United Provinces	1903	1,116	6,749	7,865
	1904	719	6,221	6,940
	1905	815	5,977	6,792
	1906	554	5,813	6,367
	1907	436	5,696	6,132
Punjab	1903	1,040	4,600	5,649
	1904	1,148	4,583	5,731
	1905	840	4,418	5,258
	1906	477	4,026	4,503
	1907	695	3,633	4,328
North-West Frontier Province	1903	135	274	409
	1904	35	395	430
	1905	94	422	516
	1906	3	461	464
	1907	70	463	533
Burma	1903	541	408	905 (a)
	1904	563	365	888 (b)
	1905	408	467	850 (c)
	1906	453	499	952
	1907	403	571	1,034
Central Provinces and Berar	1903	3,368	9,859	13,227
	1904	4,227	9,493	13,720
	1905	3,844	8,818	12,692
	1906	3,854	9,342	13,196
	1907	4,004	9,330	13,334
Eastern Bengal and Assam	1903	31	135	166
	1904	24	152	176
	1905	1,002	370	1,372
	1906	2,299 (d)	990	3,289
	1907	3,984 (d)	3,087	7,071
Coorg	1903	44	319	363
	1904	68	356	424
	1905	60	392	452
	1906	111	415	526
	1907	278	484	762
Ajmer-Merwara ... } Bangalore ... }		None.	None.	None.
Total ...	1903	7,953	29,771	37,680
	1904	8,489	29,271	37,720
	1905	8,901	28,957	37,833
	1906	9,357	30,349	39,700
	1907	11,796	31,787	43,583

(a) Excludes 44 licenses withdrawn.
(b) Excludes 40 licenses withdrawn.
(c) Excludes 22 licenses withdrawn and 3 destroyed.
(d) Increase is due to the conversion of licenses in Form VIII to those in Form XI.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

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PLAGUE.

Simla, the 10th September, 1908.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 5th September 1908, is published for general information:

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind.	Northern.	Bombay City	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P.	28	28
		Dholera Port	B.-G.-J.-P.	.....	...
		Ahmedabad Town	B. B. & C. I.	3	...
		Ahmedabad District	B.-G.-J.-P. & B. B. & C. I.	57	9
		Kaira District	B., B. & C. I.	51	20
		Broach Port	" "	.....	...
		Broach District	" "	.....	...
		Mahi Kantha Agency	" "	38	32
		Palanpur "	" "	.....	...
		Surat Town and Port	" "	.....	...
		Bulsar Port	" "	.....	...
		Surat District	" "	31	19
		Utan Port	B., B. & C. I. & B.-G.-J.-P.	.....	...
		Vesava "	" "	.....	...
		Kelva "	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Trombay "	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Tarapur "	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Manori "	" "	.....	...
		Mahim "	" "	.....	...
		Dahanu "	B., B.	.....	...
		Bhiwndi "	G. I. P.	9	9
		Agashi "	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Kurla "	"	.....	...
		Bassein "	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Kalyan "	G. I. P.	16	16
		Thana "	"	7	5
		Bandra "	B., B. & C. I.	2	2
		Umbargaon Port	" "	.....	...
		Thana District	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	4	2
	Central.	Poona City	Madras & S. M. & G. I. P.	27	14
		Poona District	" " "	146	119
		Nasik "	" " "	3 (a)	3 (a)
		Satara "	Madras & S. M.	41	19
		East Khandesh District	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Sholapur Town	"	.....	...
		Sholapur District	" Madras & S. M. & Barsi	24	15

(a) Imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind.	Southern.	Alibag Port	G. I. P.	3	1
		Thal „	.....	.....	...
		Panvel „	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Mahad „	.....	.....	...
		Nagothna Port	.....	.....	...
		Roha „	I. P. & Madras S. M.	.....	...
		Ashtami „	„ „ „	.....	...
		Revdanda „	G. I. P. & Madras S. M.	.....	...
		Kolaba District	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	1	1
		Ratnagiri Port	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Vijaydurg „	„	.....	...
		Harnai „	„	.....	...
		Vengurla „	„	.....	...
		Malvan „	.....	.....	...
		Jaytapur „	.....	.....	...
		Dabhol „	.....	.....	...
		Jaygad „	.....	.....	...
		Devgad „	.....	.....	...
		Ratnagiri District	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Belgaum „	„	201	149
		Hubli Town	„	1	1
		Dharwar District	„	58	59
		Karwar Port	„	.....	...
		Savantvadi State	„	.....	...
	Sind.	Karachi Town and Port	N. W.	26	28
		Karachi District	„	.....	...
		Hyderabad Town	„	.....	...
		Hyderabad District	„ & J. B.	.....	...
		Larkhana „	„	.....	...
		Thar and Parkar District	J. B.	.....	...
		Upper Sind Frontier District	.....	.....	...
		Sukkur District	N. W.	.....	...
		Khairpur State	„ & J. B.	.....	...
	Political Charges.	Akalkot State	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Aundh „	G. I. P. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Sholapur Agency	.....	.....	...
		Phaltan State	G. I. P. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Tuna Port	Tuna-Anjar	.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind.	Political Charges.	Mundra Port	Tuna-Anjar	.....	...
		Bijapur Agency	.....	.....	...
		Cambay Port	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Cambay State	"	.....	...
		Mandvi Port	Tuna-Anjar	2	2
		Jakhau Port	"	.....	...
		Cutch State	"	72	57
		Savanur "	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Bhor "	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Mangrol Port	B.-G.-J.-P.	.....	...
		Mahuwa "	"	.....	...
		Jafarabad "	"	.....	...
		Vawania "	" (Morvi Sec.)	.....	...
		Jamnagar Town and Port	"	4	3
		Verawal Port	"	.....	...
		Bhavnagar Town and Port	"	.....	...
		Kathiawar Agency	B., B. & C. I., Morvi & B.-G.-J.-P.	107	67
		Kolhapur and Southern Maratha Country.	Madras & S. M.	105	70
		Sachin State	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Dharampur State	"	.....	...
		Shrivardhan Port	G. I. P. & S. M.	.....	...
		Murud "	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Nandgaon "	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Rajapuri "	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Janjira "	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Janjira State	"	.....	...
		Bet Port	B.-G.-J.-P.	.....	...
		Dwarka Port	"	.....	...
		Baroda City	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Bilimora Port	"	.....	...
		Kodinar "	B.-G.-J.-P.	9	8
		Baroda State	B., B. & C. I.	229	103
		Satara Agency	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Jath State	"	.....	...
		Poona Agency	"	.....	...
		Surat Agency	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Aden	.....	.....	...
			TOTAL	1,305	861

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Madras Presidency.	...	Madras City	Madras & S. M. & S. I.	.....	...
		Anantapur District	,,	1	1
		Salem District	,,	5	1
		Bellary Town	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Bellary Cantonment	,,	.....	...
		Bellary District	,,	1 (a)	1 (a)
		Malabar District	,,	.....	...
		Kurnool ,,	,,	.....	...
		North Arcot District	S. I. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Cuddalore Port	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Mangalore ,,	,,	13	10
		Tinnevelly District	S. I.	.....	...
		Cuddapah ,,	Madras & S. M. & S. I.	.....	...
		Madura ,,	S. I.	.....	...
		Vizagapatam Port	B.-N. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Vizagapatam District	,, ,,	.....	...
		Coimbatore ,,	Madras & S.M., S. I. & Nilgiri	98 (b)	66
		Ganjam District	B. N.	.....	...
		South Canara District	S. I. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Ootacamund Town		2	1
		Nilgiris District	Madras & S. M.	1	...
		Chingleput ,,	S. I. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Godavari ,,	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Cannanore Port	,,	2	2
		Tanjore District	S. I.	.....	...
		Trichinopoly ,,	,,	.....	...
		Cochin State	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		South Arcot District	,,	.....	...
		Nellore District	,,	.....	...
		Bimlipatam Port	,,	.....	...
		Calingapatam ,,	,,	.....	...
		Cocanada ,,	,,	.....	...
		Gopalpur ,,	B. N.	.....	...
		Calicut ,,	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Sandur State	,,	.....	...
			TOTAL	123	82
Bengal.	Presidency.	Calcutta	E. I., E. B. S. & B. N.	12	11
		Jessore District	,,	.....	...
		Nadia ,,	,,	.....	...
		Murshidabad District	,, & E. I.	.....	...
		Khulna District	,,	.....	...

(a) Suspicious. (b) Two imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
	Burdwan	Midnapore District	B. N.	.....	...
		Burdwan „	E. I.	.....	...
		Hooghly District	„	.....	...
		Howrah Town	E. I. & B. N.	.....	...
		Howrah District	E. I.	.....	..
		Birbhum „	„	.....	...
		Bankura „	B. N.	.....	...
	Patna	Gaya Town	E. I.	.....	...
		Gaya District	„	7	4
		Muzaffarpur District	B. & N.-W.	.....	...
		Darbhanga District	„	2	3
		Shahabad „	E. I.	.....	...
		Dinapore	„	.....	...
		Patna City	„	.....	...
		Patna District	„	.....	...
BENGAL.	Bhagalpur	Monghyr Town	E. I.	.....	...
		Monghyr District	„	.....	...
		Darjeeling District	D. H.	.....	...
		Bhagalpur Town	E. I.	.....	...
		Bhagalpur District	„ & B. & N.-W.	.....	...
		Purnea „	E. B. S.	.....	...
		Sonthal Parganas District	E. I.	.....	...
	Chota Nagpur.	Palamau District	E. I.	.....	...
		Manbhum District	E. I. & B. N.	.....	...
		Singhbhum District	B. N.	.....	...
		Hazaribagh „	E. I.	.....	...
		Gangpur State	B. N.	.....	...
	Orissa	Cuttack District	B. N.	.....	...
		Sambalpur „	„	.....	...
			TOTAL	21	18

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces.	Meerut	Dehra Dun District	O. & R.	.....	...
		Meerut City	N. W.	.....	...
		Meerut Cantonment	"	.....	...
		Meerut District	" O. & R. & E. I.	.....	...
		Muzaffarnagar City	"	.....	...
		Muzaffarnagar District	"	.....	...
		Aligarh City	E. I. & O. R.	.....	...
		Koil City	"	.....	...
		Hathras City	B., B. & C. I. & E. I.	.....	...
		Aligarh District	E. I. & O. & R.	.....	...
		Saharanpur City	O. & R. & N. W.	.....	...
		Hardwar Union	"	.....	...
		Roorkee Town	"	.....	...
		Saharanpur District	" & N. W.	.....	...
		Bulandshahr "	E. I.	.....	...
	Agra	Etawah City	E. I.	.....	...
		Etawah District	"	.....	...
		Fatehgarh	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Furrukhabad Town	" " & E. I.	.....	...
		Furrukhabad District	" " "	.....	...
		Mainpuri District	E. I.	.....	...
		Agra City	B., B. & C. I., G. I. P. & E. I.	.....	...
		Agra District	" " " "	.....	...
		Etah "	"	.....	...
		Muttra City	" & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Muttra District	" "	.....	...
	Rohilkhand.	Bareilly City	R. & K. & O. & R.	.....	...
		Bareilly District	" "	.....	...
		Shahjahanpur City	" "	.....	...
		Shahjahanpur District	" "	.....	...
		Budaun District	O. & R. & B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Bijnor Town	"	.....	...
		Bijnor District	"	.....	...
		Moradabad City	" & R. K.	.....	...
		Moradabad District	" "	.....	...
		Pilibhit District	R. K.	.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces.	Allahabad.	Allahabad City	E. I. & O. & R.	.....	...
		Allahabad District	" "	.....	...
		Cawnpur City	" " B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.)	.....	...
		Cawnpur District	" " " "	.....	...
		Fatehpur "	E. I.	.....	...
		Banda "	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.) & E. I.	.....	...
		Jhansi City	" (")	.....	...
		Jhansi District	" (")	.....	...
		Hamirpur "	" (")	.....	...
		Jalaun "	" (")	.....	...
	Benares.	Benares Cantonment	B. & N. W. & O. & R.	.....	...
		Benares City	" " "	.....	...
		Benares District	" " " & E. I.	.....	...
		Ballia "	"	.....	...
		Jaunpur City	O. & R.	.....	...
		Jaunpur District	" & B. & N. W.	4	3
		Ghazipur "	E. I. & B. & N. W.	.....	...
		Mirzapur City	"	.....	...
		Mirzapur District	" & O. & R.	.....	...
	Gorakhpur.	Azamgarh City	E. I.	.....	...
		Azamgarh District	"	.....	...
		Gorakhpur City	B. & N. W.	.....	...
		Gorakhpur District	"	30	21
		Basti District	"	.....	...
	Kumaun	Naini Tal District	O. & R.	.....	...
		Garhwal "	"	.....	...
	Lucknow.	Unao District	O. & R. & B. & N. W.	.....	...
		Lucknow City	" " & R. K.	.....	...
		Lucknow District	" "	.....	...
		Hardoi "	"	.....	...
		Rae Bareli "	"	.....	...
		Sitapur "	R. K.	.....	...
		Kheri "	"	.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces.	Fyzabad.	Bahraich District	B. & N. W.	.....	...
		Gonda „	„	.....	...
		Partabgarh „	O. & R.	.....	...
		Sultanpur „	„	.....	...
		Ajodhya	„ & B. & N. W.	.....	...
		Fyzabad City	„	.....	...
		Fyzabad District	„	.....	...
		Bara Banki Town	B. & N. W. & O. & R.	.....	...
		Bara Banki District	„ „	.....	...
			TOTAL	34	26
	Delhi	Gurgaon District	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Hissar „	„ & N. W.	.....	...
		Karnal „	E. I.	.....	...
		Simla „	K. S.	.....	...
		Delhi District	E. I., N. W., O. & R., G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Ambala „	N. W. & E. I.	.....	...
		Ludhiana „	„	26	12
		Rohtak „	„	.....	...
Punjab.	Jullundur	Jullundur City	N. W.	.....	...
		Jullundur District	„	.....	...
		Hoshiarpur „	„	2	2
		Ferozepur „	„	.....	...
		Kangra „	„	.....	...
	Lahore.	Amritsar City	N. W.	.....	...
		Amritsar District	„	.....	...
		Gurdaspur „	„	.....	...
		Lahore City	„	.....	...
		Lahore District	„	.....	...
		Gujranwala District	„	.....	...
		Montgomery City	„	.....	...
		Montgomery District	„	.....	...
		Sialkot „	„	.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
	Rawalpindi.	Rawalpindi District	N. W.	.....	...
		Gujrat ,,	,,	.....	...
		Shahpur ,,	,,	.....	...
		Jhelum ,,	,,	.....	...
		Attock ,,	,,	.....	...
	Multan	Mianwali District	N. W.	.....	...
		Lyallpur ,,	,,	.....	...
		Jhang ,,	,,	.....	...
PUNJAB		Muzaffargarh ,,	,,	.....	...
		Multan ,,	,,	.....	...
	...	Patiala City	Rajpura-Bhatinda (N. W. Ry.)	.....	...
		Patiala State	N.W., E.I., B., B. & C. I. & J. B.	.....	...
		Maler Kotla State	,,	.....	...
...		Jind ,,	,,	.....	...
		Nalagarh ,,	,,	.....	...
		Nabha ,,	,,	.....	...
		Bahawalpur ,,	,,	.....	...
			TOTAL	28	14
	Pegu	Rangoon Town	Burma	14	14
		Hanthawaddy District	,,	.....	...
		Pegu ,,	,,	1	1
		Tharrawaddy ,,	,,	1	1
		Prome ,,	,,	...	...
BURMA	Irrawaddy	Maubin District	Burma	.....	...
		Bassein ,,	,,	2	1
		Henzada ,,	,,	10	10
		Pyapon ,,	,,	.....	...
		Myaungmya ,,	,,	.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Burma.	Tenasserim.	Toungoo District	Burma	.....	...
		Thaton „	„	.....	...
		Moulmein Town	„	5	5
		Amherst (Moulmein) District	„	1	1
		Tavoy District	„	.....	...
	Magwe	Thayetmyo District	Burma	.....	...
		Pakokku „	„	.....	...
		Minbu „	„	.....	...
		Magwe „	„	.....	...
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town	Burma	1	1
		Maymyo Town	„	.....	...
		Mandalay District	„	2	1
		Myitkyina „	„	.....	...
		Bhamo „	„	.....	...
	Sagaing	Shwebo District	Burma	.....	...
		Lower Chindwin (Monywa) District	„	.....	...
		Sagaing District	„	.....	...
	Meiktila	Myingyan District	Burma	.....	...
		Yamethin „	„	4	
		Kyaukse „	„	.....	...
		Meiktila „	„	.....	...
		Northern Shan States		.....	...
			TOTAL	41	39
Eastern Bengal and Assam.	Rajshahi	Pabna District	E. B. S.	.....	...
		Malda „	„	.....	...
	Assam Valley Districts.	Goalpara „	„	.....	...
	Dacca	Dacca Town	„	.....	...
		Dacca District	„	.....	...
		Faridpur District	„	.....	...
		Manipur State		.....	...
			TOTAL	.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Central Provinces (including Berar).	Nagpur	Nagpur City	B. N. & G. I. P.	1 (a)	1 (a)
		Kamptee Cantonment	B. N.	.....	...
		Kamptee Town	„	.....	...
		Nagpur District	B. N. & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Wardha Town	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Wardha District	„	.....	...
		Chanda Town	„	.....	...
		Chanda District	„	.....	...
		Bhandara Town	B. N.	.....	...
		Bhandara District	„	.....	...
		Balaghat Town	„	.....	...
		Balaghat District	„	.....	...
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore Town	E. I. & G. I. P.	1 (a)	1 (a)
		Jubbulpore Cantonment	„ „	.....	...
		Jubbulpore District	„ „	.....	...
		Damoh Town	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.)	.....	...
		Damoh District	„ („)	.....	...
		Saugor Cantonment	„ („)	.....	...
		Saugor Town	„ („)	.....	...
		Saugor District	„ („)	.....	...
		Chappara Town	„ („)	.....	...
		Seoni Town	B. N.	.....	...
		Seoni District	„	.....	...
		Mandla „	„	.....	...
	Nerbudda	Khandwa Town	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Burhanpur „	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Nimar District	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Pachmari	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Hoshangabad Town	„	.....	...
		Hoshangabad District	„	.....	...
		Narsingpur Town	„	.....	...
		Narsingpur District	„	.....	...
		Betul „	„	67 (b)	57 (b)
		Chhindwara Town	„	.....	...
		Chhindwara District	B. N.	.....	...
	Chhattisgarh.	Drug Town	B. N.	.....	...
		Drug District	„	.....	...
		Bilaspur Town	„	.....	...
		Bilaspur District	„	.....	...
		Raipur Town	„	.....	...
		Raipur District	„	.....	...

(a) Imported. (b) One imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL PROVINCES (INCLUDING BERAR).	Berar	Akola Town	G. I. P.	1 (a)	1 (a)
		Akola District	„	.....	...
		Buldana Town	„	.....	...
		Buldana District	„	36	35
		Yeotmal Town	„	.....	...
		Yeotmal District	„	.....	...
		Ellichpur City	„	.....	...
		Amraoti Town	„	59 (b)	49 (b)
		Amraoti District	„	.....	...
			TOTAL	165	144
MYSORE STATE.	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	Madras & S. M.	13	12
		Bangalore City	„	3	2
		Bangalore District	„	72	59
		Mysore City	„	1	...
		Mysore District	„	67	48
		Kadur „	„	39	37
		Hassan „	„	38	22
		Kolar „	„	28	27
		Kolar Gold Fields	„	.....	...
		Tumkur District	„	.....	...
		Shimoga „	„	17	8
		Chitaldroog „	„	.....	...
			TOTAL	278	216
HYDERABAD STATE.	...	Usmanabad District	G. I. P. & Barsi	21 (c)	28 (c)
		Raichur „	G. I. P. & Madras & S. M.	66 (c)	67 (c)
			TOTAL	87	95

(a) Imported. (b) One imported. (c) Figures for the period from 25th to 31st August 1908.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
		Indore City	B., B. & C. I	.....	...
		Indore State	,, & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Indore Residency	,,	.....	...
		Ujjain City	,, & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Gwalior ,,	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Gwalior State (portion in Bhopal)	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Dhar State	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.) & Gwalior	.....	...
		Pathari ,,	,, (,,)	.....	...
		Malwa Agency	Rajputana-Malwa	.....	...
		Sundersi Pergana (in the Bhopal Agency)		.....	...
		Nagode State		.....	...
		Bhopal City	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Bhopal State	,,	.....	...
		Shahjahanpur Town		.....	...
		Guaranteed Holdings in Bhopal Agency	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Maksudangarh State	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.)	.....	...
		Mhow Cantonment	B., B. & C. I. (Rajputana Malwa)	.....	...
		Neemuch ,,	,,	.....	...
		Orchha State	,,	.....	...
		Rutlam City	,,	12 (a)	3 (a)
		Rutlam State	,,	.....	...
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Dewas Town	,,	.....	...
		Dewas State	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Narsingharh State	,,	.....	...
		Guaranteed Holdings in Malwa Agency		.....	...
		Tonk State (portion in Central India)	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Baghelkhand Agency States	E. I. & B. N.	.....	...
		Rewa Town		.....	...
		Rewa State	E. I.	.....	...
		Sehore Cantonment	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Sehore State	,,	.....	...
		Datia City	,,	.....	...
		Datia State	,,	.....	...
		Sailana Town	B., B. & C. I.	5 (a)	4 (a)
		Sailana State	,,	.....	...
		Sitamau ,,	,,	.....	...
		Piploda	,,	.....	...
		Bagli ,,	,,	.....	...
		Jhabua ,,	,,	.....	...
		Jaora Town	,,	.....	...
		Jaora State	,,		

(a) Figures for the week ending 29th August 1908.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Agar Military Station	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Manpur	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Rajgarh State	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Kurwai „	„	.....	...
		Barwani State	„ & B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
			TOTAL	17	7
RAJPUTANA AND AJMER-MERWARA.	...	Bharatpur State	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Mewar State	„	.....	...
		Partabgarh State	„	.....	...
		Chitor (Udaipur) State	„	.....	...
		Tonk State	„	.....	...
		Marwar State (Jodhpur)	J. B.	.....	...
		Jaipur City	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Jaipur State	„	.....	...
		Kishangarh Town	„	.....	...
		Bikaner State	J. B.	.....	...
		Jhalawar „	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Kotah „	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Sirohi „	„	.....	...
		Shahpura „	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Dholpur „	„	.....	...
		Alwar City	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Alwar State	„	.....	...
		Beawar	„	.....	...
		Karauli State	„	.....	...
		Banswara Town	„	.....	...
		Banswara State	„	.....	...
		Ajmer City	„	.....	...
		Ajmer District	„	.....	...
		Deoli	„	.....	...
		Abu Road	„	.....	...
		Ajmer-Merwara District	„	.....	...
			TOTAL	.....	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu City	N. W.	.....	...
		Jammu District	„	.....	...
		Mirpur „	„	.....	...
		Kathua „	„	.....	...
			TOTAL	.....	...
				.....	...

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	Abbottabad Town	N. W.	.....	...
		Hazara District	"	.....	...
		Bannu "		.....	...
		Kohat Cantonment	N. W.	.....	...
		Kohat Town	"	.....	...
		Kohat District	"	.....	...
		Dera Ismail Khan Town	"	.....	...
		Dera Ismail Khan Cantonment	"	.....	...
		Dera Ismail Khan District	"	.....	...
		Peshawar Town	"	.....	...
		Peshawar Cantonment	"	.....	...
		Nowshera "	"	.....	...
		Peshawar District	"	.....	...
		Khyber Agency		...	...
			TOTAL	.....	...
BALUCHISTAN.	...	Sonmiani	N. W.	.....	...
		Hirok	"	.....	...
		Sibi	"	.....	...
		Fort Sandeman	"	.....	...
		Las Bela State	"	.....	...
			TOTAL	.....	...
			GRAND TOTAL	2,099	1,502

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 10th September 1908, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

The depression which was in the southwest Punjab on the 3rd slowly filled up and had completely disappeared by the morning of the 6th: it caused heavy rain over the west Punjab and the North-West Frontier Province, and moderate rain over Kashmir, but with the disappearance of the depression rainfall ceased in northwest India and by the end of the week skies were clear over nearly the whole of this area. The Bay current strengthened during the week and gave good rain over Burma and northeast India, the fall in Bihar being heavy for this time of year. The Arabian Sea monsoon on the other hand occasioned widespread rainfall over the central parts of the country and the Peninsula only on the 4th after which date it weakened, and rainfall was more or less scattered in these areas during the rest of the period. The east of the United Provinces received good rain from both currents.

Burma.—Rainfall occurred over the greater part of the province on the 7th and 8th, and was light to local on the remaining days of the week. Skies were moderately clouded and temperature was nearly normal.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—There was very little rain on the 4th and 5th, but from the 6th it increased and on the 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th was fairly widespread, especially in the northern half of the division. Skies were moderately to heavily clouded on most days and temperature was normal or in defect.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—There was nearly general rain in the Central Provinces on the 4th and 10th, but rainfall diminished considerably in other parts of the division and was very local in character, while skies were clear or only lightly to moderately clouded. Temperature was approximately normal.

Northwest India.—Weather was dry everywhere except in the hills of upper India and in parts of the Punjab and of the North-West Frontier Province. Skies were generally clear or only lightly to moderately clouded, except in areas of rainfall. Temperature was normal or in defect, the deficiency occurring in the northern half of the division and chiefly during the first part of the week.

The Peninsula.—Rain fell over a large part of the Peninsula on the 4th but for the rest of the week it was more or less local in character. An important feature in its distribution was its occurrence in the Madras Deccan and in the east of the Bombay Deccan. Skies were lightly to moderately clouded and temperature was normal or in defect.

The following summarises the chief rainfall amounts of the week as reported at 8 hrs. each day:—

September 4th. Dibrugarh 2·02″, Sibsagar 2·70″, Cawnpore 3·03″, Akola 2·31″, Dehra Ismail Khan 1·75″, Ahmednagar 1·07″, Sholapur 3·41″, Aurangabad 2·27″ and Trichinopoly 2·25″.

" 5th. Bhamo 2·30″, Cherrapoonjee 7·27″, Dhubri 3·00″, Chittagong 2·74″, Sialkot 4·62″, Rawalpindi 2·09″, Ahmednagar 1·21″ and Masulipatam 1·55″.

September 6th. Moulmein 4·13″, Dhubri 4·16″, Cherrapoonjee 7·21″, Mymensingh 2·12″, Dinajpur 2·50″, Ranchi 2·80″ and Nizamabad 2·68″.

" 7th. Dhubri 2·03″, Cherrapoonjee 4·07″, Darjeeling 4·54″, Jalpaiguri 3·02″, Berhampore 6·08″, Darbhanga 2·82″, Cuddapah 2·03″, Madura 2·25″, Negapatam 2·66″ and Nellore 3·00″.

" 8th. Minbu 1·91″, Jalpaiguri 2·68″, Burdwan 3·06″, Purnea 2·51″, Madura 2·43″ and Pamban 2·00″.

" 9th. Jalpaiguri 2·75″, Darbhanga 3·07″, Nagpur 4·02″, Ahmednagar 1·03″, Bijapur 0·70″, Raichur 1·68″ and Kurnool 2·60″.

" 10th. Dibrugarh 2·04″, Dhubri 3·40″, Shillong 2·90″, Cherrapoonjee 5·75″, Mymensingh 5·02″, Purnea 1·49″, Seoni 2·37″, Chanda 2·26″, Nellore 2·00″ and Salem 3·75″.

The rainfall of the past week has increased the excess in the seasonal rainfall in the Punjab, the North-West Frontier Province and Kashmir, and has decreased the deficiency shown in Bihar, the east of the United Provinces, the Madras Deccan and on the north Madras coast, with the result that the rainfall for the whole monsoon period is now 20 per cent. or more in defect in only Bihar, South Hyderabad and the Madras Deccan.

DIVISION.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 10TH SEPTEMBER 1908.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 1ST MAY 1908 TO 10TH SEPTEMBER 1908.				
	Average actual rainfall in inches.	Average normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Average actual rainfall of season to date in inches.	Average normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	SEASONAL PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL. This week.	SEASONAL PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL. Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Stations in the Bay	5·1	4·0	+1·1	104·1	71·0	+33·1	+47	+48
Lower Burma	3·7	5·5	−1·8	121·4	115·0	+6·4	+6	+7
Upper Burma	1·8	1·6	+0·2	30·3	30·9	−0·6	−2	−2
Assam	6·2	3·2	+3·0	65·1	66·4	−1·3	−2	−1
Eastern Bengal	6·3	3·2	+3·1	53·3	64·1	−10·8	−17	−23
Bengal	3·7	2·1	+1·6	53·6	44·9	+8·7	+19	+17
Orissa	0·6	2·5	−1·9	51·1	46·7	+4·4	+9	+14
Chota Nagpur	2·6	1·8	+0·8	43·9	41·0	+2·9	+7	+5
Bihar	3·6	2·3	+1·3	22·2	41·3	−19·1	−46	−52
United Provinces, East	2·0	1·8	+0·2	28·1	34·9	−6·8	−19	−21
United Provinces, West	0·7	1·8	−1·1	39·6	36·9	+2·7	+7	+11
Punjab, East and North	1·5	0·9	+0·6	29·8	20·1	+9·7	+48	+47
Punjab, South-west	0·8	0·1	+0·7	18·5	7·5	+11·0	+147	+139
Kashmir	0·5	0·1	+0·4	6·8	4·4	+2·4	+55	+44
N.-W. Frontier Province	2·3	0·1	+2·2	11·1	5·2	+5·9	+113	+73
Baluchistan	0	0	0	0·5	1·3	−0·8	−62	−58
Sind	0	0·2	−0·2	9·3	5·0	+4·3	+86	+94
Rajputana, West	0	0·4	−0·4	25·1	10·4	+14·7	+141	+150
Rajputana, East	0·1	1·2	−1·1	32·6	20·6	+12·0	+58	+68
Gujarat	0	1·1	−1·1	27·4	23·3	+4·1	+18	+24
Central India, West	0·6	1·6	−1·0	24·6	25·9	−1·3	−5	−2
Central India, East	1·1	1·4	−0·3	44·7	37·5	+7·2	+19	+20
Berar	2·0	1·5	+0·5	28·1	25·3	+2·8	+11	+10
Central Provinces, West	2·4	2·4	0	40·5	40·2	+0·3	+1	+1
Central Provinces, East	3·3	1·9	+1·4	47·7	42·6	+5·1	+12	+9
Konkan	0·7	3·1	−2·4	91·8	86·6	+5·2	+6	+9
Bombay Deccan	1·8	1·8	0	17·9	19·3	−1·4	−7	−8
Hyderabad, North	3·7	2·4	+1·3	25·6	25·6	0	0	−6
Hyderabad, South	1·9	2·7	−0·8	16·6	20·9	−4·3	−21	−19
Mysore	0·9	1·3	−0·4	14·8	15·9	−1·1	−7	−3
Malabar	0·4	1·9	−1·5	83·5	77·2	+6·3	+8	+11
Madras, South-east	3·1	0·9	+2·2	11·4	10·3	+1·1	+11	−12
Madras Deccan	2·4	1·8	+0·6	10·3	14·9	−4·6	−31	−40
Madras Coast, North	1·8	1·5	+0·3	15·4	19·0	−3·6	−19	−22

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The 10th September 1908.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 5th September 1908.

Burma.—The rainfall has been general throughout the Province. In Lower Burma transplanting of winter rice is approaching completion. In Upper Burma reaping of early sesamum and cultivation of other autumn crops is progressing satisfactorily. Standing crops in both Lower and Upper Burma, with a few unimportant exceptions, are in good condition. The price of unhusked rice has risen slightly in Rangoon and Mandalay.

Eastern Bengal and Assam.—General rain fell throughout the Province but the distribution was again very uneven. The districts of Rangpur, Dinajpur and Bogra which report some apprehension of scarcity fortunately received moderately heavy falls of rain which have relieved the situation to some extent in Pabna. It is reported that prospects of standing crops have improved owing to a rise in the Ganges in most parts of Eastern Bengal. More rain is urgently required for transplantation of winter rice and wetting of jute. The bulk of the summer rice harvest has now been gathered and the outturn is good in all places from which reports have been received. The prospects of winter rice, however, are poor except in Backarganj, Noakhali, the Surma Valley and some portions of the Assam Valley. The price of rice has risen again at 25 stations and has fallen at only 5, but the general average is slightly lower than at the same date last year. Cattle disease is prevalent in Backarganj, Tippera, Noakhali, Malda, Kamrup, Darrang, Nowgong and the Garo and Khasi Hills.

Bengal.—The rainfall was general this week but there is still a tract in North Behar stretching across the north of Champaran, Muzaffarpur and Darbhanga where rain is still required and transplantation of paddy is retarded throughout North Bihar and the Bhagalpur division. The recent rains in Patna, Gaya, Shahabad and the south of Champaran have rendered transplantation possible and have improved prospects of autumn crops. Prospects of the winter crop are fair throughout the Province, except in the portion of North Bihar referred to above, but some tracts in Puri and specially in Balasore have suffered from floods. Harvesting of jute and summer paddy is going on. Prospects of the jute crop are fair in Murshidabad and Purnea but are not good in the other main jute growing districts. Insect pests are still causing some damage in the 24-Parganas and Puri. Prices have risen in Shahabad, Champaran, Cuttack, Ranchi, Palamau and Cooch Behar. The stock of food-grains is reported to be insufficient in Nadia, Balasore and Palamau and it is reported that scarcity is apprehended in a portion of the Saran district. Cattle disease is reported from Shahabad, Monghyr, Purnea, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh, Ranchi and Palamau. The test works in Balasore have been closed but there are still large numbers of people receiving gratuitous relief. Test works in Bankura, Nadia, Cuttack, Angul, Puri, Hazaribagh and Ranchi were attended by 7,212 persons while gratuitous relief was given to 33,366 of whom more than half are in Orissa. The famine relief works in Ranchi, were attended by 7,300 persons.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows:—*Ranchi district*.—In the declared area, workers exclusive of dependants, 7,918; on gratuitous relief (*a*) dependants of workers *nil*; (*b*) in poor-houses or kitchens *nil* and (*c*) on village doles 6,463; grand total on relief 14,381. There is a slight rise in the numbers on relief and considerable reduction is probable from this week on relief works. Prospects of crops are excellent and the weather favourable. Cholera is still bad in the district. Prices:— 5 to 6 seers per rupee.

United Provinces.—The rainfall received was much less than in the previous week Jhansi received 5½ inches and eleven other districts 2 inches or over. Prospects have much improved in Bahraich where nearly 2½ inches of rain fell: the Nanpara tahsil receiving 4 inches. More rain is needed in some parts of Oudh and several eastern districts but autumn prospects generally are favourable except where damage has been done by floods in parts of the Meerut and Agra divisions and on the low-lying black soils of Bundelkhand where the rainfall has been excessive. A break during the week was beneficial in Muttra. Weeding of autumn crops and ploughing of lands for spring crops continue and late rice is still being transplanted in many places. Prices continue very high and have risen in one district but have fallen in sixteen districts. Maize and other early autumn crops are being harvested in many districts and are coming on the market at lower prices. Harvesting of early rice is commencing in one or two districts. The condition of cattle is satisfactory and fodder and water are available. There is some sporadic cattle disease.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows:—All relief works have been closed except 1 civil work in Garhwal and a few aided works in four districts. Gratuitous relief also has been closed with final doles everywhere. The numbers receiving final

doles in twenty districts are still shown on relief until the period for which the dole is given ends. A few poor houses are still open. Charitable relief continues to be given by Local Committees. The general condition of the people is satisfactory but there is a prevalence of fever and some cholera. 2,442 persons are reported on private relief. The numbers on Government relief are :—on relief works 85 ; on aided works 259 ; on gratuitous relief 295,617 ; in poor houses 1,523 ; total 297,484.¶ The largest total figures are :—Gonda 70,682 ; Kheri 52,699 ; Jaunpur 28,572 ; Sitapur 27,443 Prices :—Garhwal 5 ; Almora 7 ; Bundelkhand 9¼ to 10 ; Mirzapur 3 to 10½ ; Kheri 10 ; elsewhere 11 to 14¼ seers per rupee.

Punjab.—Heavy rain fell in all districts except in the Delhi division where moderate rain was received. Prices are unsettled. Wheat sells dearer than scarcity rates in Jullundur, Ludhiana, Amritsar and Jhang. Other food-grains are generally at or above scarcity rates. Ploughing for spring crops is in progress. Sowings of *toria* and gram in Lyallpur continue. The condition of standing crops is generally good to average. Crops have been damaged by heavy rains and river floods in Gurgaon, Ferozepore, Amritsar, Sialkot, Gujranwala, Shahpur, Mianwali, Lyallpur and Multan. Rats are damaging rice and sugarcane in parts of Gujranwala. Cattle are generally in good condition. Green grass is plentiful throughout the Province. There are no complaints regarding the water-supply.

North-West Frontier Province.—Abundant rain fell all over the Province averaging 52 cent to 6·78 inches. The rainfall has now been generally sufficient and has greatly benefited standing crops and autumn sowings. Lands are being cultivated for spring sowings. The condition of standing crops on irrigated and unirrigated areas is average and the outturn is expected to be the same. The *peeshogai* insect reported last week is still damaging autumn crops in five villages of the Peshawar tahsil. Fodder and water are sufficient. There is good irrigation from all the canals in the Province and extensive irrigation by river inundation and from hill torrents in the Dera Ismail Khan district. Floods are continuing in Kurram and Tochi rivers but are diminishing. The public health is generally good but cholera still prevails in the Mardan and Swabi tahsils and seasonal fever in the Charsadda, Mardan and Peshawar tahsils. The condition of cattle is generally fair except in several villages of the Nowshera, Mardan and Peshawar tahsils and at Bannu and some villages of the Dera Ismail Khan and Kulachi tahsils. Prices of food-grains are stationary. Prices :—wheat 9⅛ to 13 ; gram 9⅛ to 13 ; maize 11⅜ to 17 and *bajra* 11 to 14¼ seers per rupee.

Jammu.—The rainfall during the week was heavy. Prices are stationary. Wheat sells from 7 to 14 and maize from 8½ to 18 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is fair. Fodder is sufficient.

Kashmir.—The weather was almost rainy during the week. A hail-storm fell in portions of thirty-three tahsils but no appreciable damage was done. Crops in a few villages of the Kulgam tahsil have been slightly damaged by floods. The condition of autumn crops was generally better but blight has occurred in some parts on account of the cold. Sowings of spring crops except of *tilguglu* have been stopped on account of the rains. Fodder is sufficient. There is a slight rise in the prices of food-grains.

Rajputana.—There has been heavy rain in Bundi amounting to 12·81 inches while Partabgarh, Kotah, Jaipur, Kishangarh, Karauli and the Merwara district report between 4½ and 8 inches ; elsewhere the amounts vary from 34 cents to 2¾ inches. No rain, however, fell in the hill tracts of Mewar and reports from Marwar, Jaisalmer and Dungarpur are still awaited. There has, however, been a distinct cessation of the general rain. The maize crop almost everywhere and all crops on low-lying lands have been damaged by the excessive rain but otherwise prospects of autumn crops are good owing to the break. Cattle disease is prevalent in parts of Mewar and the Merwara district. Fodder is ample. Prices still continue above the normal ; they have risen slightly in Sirohi, Banswara, Partabgarh, Jaipur and Ajmer and have fallen in the Hill Tracts, Shahpura, Kishangarh, Karauli and Dholpur.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was general and a break is needed in Gwalior, Bhopal and Baghelkhand. Harvesting of *macca* has commenced in Bhopal and of *sama* in Baghelkhand where *til* and *urd* sowing continues. Weeding of autumn crops is in progress throughout. Lands are being prepared for spring crops in Baghelkhand, Malwa and Bhopal. Operations have been retarded owing to excessive rain in Gwalior, Bhopal and Baghelkhand. Slight damage to crops is reported from parts of all Agencies due to heavy or incessant rainfall and by insects in parts of Indore. Agricultural stock is fair to good. Cattle disease is reported in parts of Indore, Bhopal, Bundelkhand, Malwa and Bhopawar. Prices have fallen slightly in Rutlam and are high but steady elsewhere.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows :—The situation is unaltered. There is no variation in prices. The numbers on relief are :—Rewa—on works 904 ; on gratuitous relief 1,173 ; total 2,077. In Indore State—on works *nil* ; on gratuitous relief 3,548. In the Bhopawar Agency, Manpur—on works *nil* ; on gratuitous relief 79. In the Gwalior Residency Area—on works 45 ; on gratuitous relief 16. The figures for Bundelkhand have not been received. Grand total on works 949 ; on gratuitous relief 4,816 ; on both kinds of relief 5,765.

Central Provinces.—The week began with a short break in the weather. Later on rainfall of a local character was received amounting to 10 inches in Chhindwara; from 2 to 4 inches in Damoh, Chanda, Narsinghpur, Akola, Buldana, Yeotmal, Wardha, Mandla and Bhandara and from 1 to 1½ inches in the remaining districts. Late sowings of *til* and *kutki* were resumed in Damoh and Narsinghpur. Sowings of autumn crops elsewhere are almost finished. Weeding is in general progress. Transplantation of rice still continues in Chanda and Bhandara. Preparation of land for winter crops has been undertaken in Narsinghpur, Hoshangabad, Chhindwara, Raipur and the Nagpur country. Excessive rain caused slight damage to *juar* and *til* in Saugor; to *til* in the Burhanpur tahsil of Nimar and to cotton and *juar* seedlings on low-lying lands in Amraoti, Buldana and Yeotmal. Standing crops are otherwise in good condition and prospects are generally favourable. Early millets are being harvested in Damoh, Jubbulpore and parts of Nimar. A longer break in the rains is very desirable. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle are generally in good condition. Prices are comparatively steady with a tendency to fall.

Feudatory States.—Korea and Chhuikhadan had from 4 to 5 inches of rain and Bastar 1 inch. The rainfall in other States ranged from 2 to 3 inches. Thinning operations have been mostly completed. Transplantation still continues in several States. Weeding continues. Standing crops are in a promising condition. Rice on low-lying land in Sakti has suffered slightly from excessive rain. Fodder and water are ample. In Raigarh rice became cheaper by 1 seer per rupee; elsewhere prices fluctuated but slightly.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows:—The rainfall was moderate with brief intervals of sunshine which permitted an expansion of agricultural operations. A longer break is however needed for the recovery of the crops damaged by excessive rain. Caterpillars have almost disappeared and the damaged crops are recovering. Standing crops are in fair condition and the preparation of land for spring crops has commenced. Distress is decreasing and is expected to abate substantially during the present month. There are still a few workers on village relief works in Damoh. The numbers on village relief have fallen in nearly all districts owing to the expansion of agricultural operations and to ripening of early crops. In Hoshangabad village relief has been closed. The numbers on the Public Works Department contract works and on the Nagpur-Itarsi Railway are steady. Weaver relief continues to rise in Nagpur and Chanda and figures for Amraoti weavers are included for the first time. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prices are steady or have risen slightly. The public health is good. Relief measures are adequate. Private charity is active. The numbers on relief are:—on relief works 626; weavers 15,564; on gratuitous relief 27,221; Total 43,411.

Bombay.—The rain during the week was good in parts of East Khandesh, Ahmednagar and Sholapur; moderate in parts of Surat and the Konkan and slight in parts of Sukkur, the Upper Sind Frontier, Thar and Parkar, Ahmedabad, the Panch Mahals, Kaira, Broach, West Khandesh, Nasik, Poona, Satara, the Karnatak and the Gujarat Native States. The rainfall was insufficient in the eastern portions of West Khandesh, Nasik, Satara and the Karnatak and sufficient elsewhere. Sowings continue in parts of Karachi, Gujarat, Poona, Dharwar, Baroda, Palanpur and Cutch. Standing crops have been slightly damaged by insects in parts of Sind and Khandesh; by rats in Karachi; are suffering on account of floods in parts of Karachi, Hyderabad and Thar and Parkar; from excessive moisture in parts of the Panch Mahals, East Khandesh, Nasik and the Gujarat Native States and from want of moisture in parts of Nasik and the Karnatak. Crops are in good condition elsewhere. Transplantation is progressing in parts of the Upper Sind Frontier, Ahmedabad, Kaira, Kanara, Belgaum and Baroda. The supply of fodder is adequate except in parts of Nasik, Ahmednagar, Poona and Bijapur. Agricultural stock is generally in good condition and sufficient except in parts of the Deccan and Cutch. The supply of water for drinking and irrigation is sufficient except in parts of Ahmednagar, Poona, Sholapur and Bijapur. Prices of food-grains have fallen slightly in Sind and are almost stationary elsewhere. The quantity purchasable per rupee is in Sind 30 to 42 per cent; in Gujarat 32 to 76 per cent; in the Konkan 23 to 34 per cent; in the Deccan 36 to 52 per cent and in the Karnatak 32 to 50 per cent less than the normal. Stocks of grain are generally adequate. Labourers get sufficient field employment and wages are normal. The cultivating and labouring classes are in fair condition. The daily average numbers on gratuitous relief are:—Panch Mahals 728; West Khandesh 1,886; Nasik 2,020; Ahmednagar 1,977; Poona 329; Sholapur 1,489; Bijapur 699 and Jath 95.

Hyderabad.—The rainfall during the week was 2 inches 9 cents. Autumn crops in most parts are in fair to good condition. Weeding continues in parts of the Nander and Partshani districts. The cotton crop is being injuriously affected by excessive rain. Early rice sowings continue but are limited owing to the water in tanks being inadequate. Spring crops are being sown in parts and lands continue to be prepared for them. Prospects have improved in the Raichur district by the week's rain. Over 2 inches of rain were registered in the Devarkonda taluka of the Nalgunda district during the week. The fall has improved prospects but more rain is badly needed throughout the Naleunau district. No report has been received from the Ashti taluka but a hope is entertained that some rain has fallen there during the week. Water scarcity is reported in eleven talukas and fodder scarcity in seventeen. Cattle disease is reported in eleven talukas. Prices:—wheat 5½; coarse rice 5¾ and *juar* 11¾ seers per rupee. White *juar* is selling in Hyderabad City

at 11 seers per rupee. Yellow *juar* is not available in the market. The highest price in districts is 8 to 9 seers in ten talukas and the lowest 21 seers in the Khandas taluka of the Nander district.

Mysore.—The rainfall during the week was good in Mysore and Kadur and slight elsewhere. Prices of food-grains have risen slightly in Kolar, Hassan and Kadur. Standing crops are in moderately good condition but more rain is generally needed. Prospects of the season are fair. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available except in parts of Tumkur, Mysore, Hassan, Kadur and Chitaldrug where they are getting scanty.

Coorg.—Rainfall 59 cents. Transplanting of rice is almost completed. Prices of food-grains are high. The public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall was heavy in the Vizagapatam Agency and South Arcot; fair in Bellary, Anantapur, Nellore and Tinnevelly and good elsewhere. Irrigation supplies are insufficient in parts of all districts except Godavari, Guntur, Trichinopoly, Malabar, South Canara and the Nilgiris. Ploughing, sowing, weeding and transplanting are in progress in parts. Standing crops are generally fair but some in parts of the Deccan, Nellore, Coimbatore, Madura and Tinnevelly are withering or require more rain. Harvests continue, except in Kistna, Guntur, Kurnool, Tanjore and Tinnevelly with outturn fair to normal. Pasture is insufficient except in the Circars, Kurnool, Chingleput, Madras, Tanjore, Malabar, South Canara and the Nilgiris. Fodder is scanty in the Circars, Bellary, Anantapur and Trichinopoly. The condition of cattle is generally good. The price of rice is stationary in ten districts; has fallen in four and has risen in nine. The prices of millets have fluctuated as follows:—*Ragi* is stationary in six districts; has fallen in eight and has risen in seven. *Cholam* is stationary in five districts and has risen in nine. *Cumbu* is stationary in five districts; has fallen in four and has risen in six. The public health is generally good but cholera is prevalent in several districts, Malabar, Anantapur and Cuddapah being most affected. Prospects are generally fair and have improved by recent rains in the districts where it was most urgently required. The condition of the labouring classes is good and employment is procurable. Grain stocks are generally sufficient. The opening of a test-work in the Cuddapah district is reported. The average number of Khonds relieved by doles in the Ganjam district is 214. The number relieved on the test-work in the Bellary taluk is 913, while in the poor house the inmates numbered 8.

Statement showing the number of persons in receipt of relief:

Name of Province or State.	Preceding week. (Revised figures.)			Present week.			Increase or Decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
British Provinces.							
Bengal	15,111	31,862	46,973	14,512	33,366	47,878	+905
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	25,431	368,083	393,514*	344	297,140	297,484†	−96,030
Central Provinces	587	47,504	48,091	626	42,785	43,411	−4,680
Bombay	...	8,935	8,935	...	9,128	9,128	+193
Madras	894	276	1,170	913	222	1,135	−35
Total British Provinces.	42,023	456,660	498,683	16,395	382,641	399,036	−99,647
Native States.							
Central India States	1,454	6,362	7,816	949	5,033	5,982‡	−1,834
Bombay Native States	...	88	88	...	95	95	+7
Total Native States	1,454	6,450	7,904	949	5,128	6,077	−1,827
GRAND TOTAL	43,477	463,110	506,587	17,344	387,769	405,113	−101,474

* Excludes 2,664 persons relieved on private works.

† Excludes 2,442 persons relieved on private works.

‡ Last week's figures for the Bundelkhand Agency have been repeated for this week as relief figures for the present week have not been reported.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

FAMINE.

Statement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Districts and Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India—(District details).

NOTE.—The figures are compiled from returns obtained from Local Governments and Political Officers, and give the corrected details of the totals reported in the telegraphic famine reports published weekly in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

Non-labouring children and other dependants of relief workers are classed under relief works when distinguished in the local returns from persons gratuitously relieved in poor-houses or at their houses. Weavers relieved in their own trade are shown under "village doles or other relief."

No.	Name of Provinces, Districts and Native States.	Area in Sq. miles.	Population.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 22ND AUGUST 1908.								
				Relief Works.			Number on test works.	Total on works.	Gratuitous Relief.			Grand Total.
				Workers.	Dependants.	Total.			Poor-houses or kitchens.	Village doles or other relief.	Total.	
	United Provinces.											
1	Muttra	1,444	763,069	...	...	...	..	...	...	6,348	6,348	6,348
2	Agra	1,853	1,060,546	...	...	..	...	...	...	1,021	1,021	1,021
3	Etawah	1,691	806,798	41	...	41	...	41	...	2,277	2,277	2,318
4	Cawnpore ...	2,366	1,258,868	...	...	...	...	...	6	394	400	400
5	Fatehpur... ...	1,631	686,391	...	...	...	...	...	...	851	851	851
6	Banda	3,061	631,058	109	...	109	...	109	65	15,040	15,105	15,214
7	Hamirpur ...	2,289	458,542	57	...	57	...	57	50	9,510	9,560	9,617
8	Allahabad ...	2,850	1,493,755	...	...	...	...	...	68	12,271	12,339	12,339
9	Jhansi	3,587	616,759	22	...	22	...	22	34	9,527	9,561	9,583
10	Jalaun	1,565	399,726	104	...	104	...	104	...	6,222	6,222	6,326
11	Mirzapur... ...	4,352	706,989	3,386	...	3,386	...	3,386	90	40,938	41,028	44,414
12	Jaunpur	1,550	1,202,920	4,076	...	4,076	...	4,076	...	6,088	6,088	10,164
13	Ballia	1,250	987,768	14	...	14	...	14	...	...	...	14
14	Family Domains ...	473	66,601	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,928	3,928	3,928
15	Basti	2,796	1,846,153	24	...	24	...	24	226	8,826	9,046	9,070
16	Almora	5,416	465,893	1,853	...	1,853	...	1,853	...	1,134	1,134	2,987
17	Lucknow... ...	977	793,241	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,067	2,067	2,067
18	Sitapur	2,230	1,175,473	6,162	244	6,406	...	6,406	140	29,896	29,036	35,442
19	Hardoi	2,325	1,093,000	...	...	...	...	...	15	10,764	10,779	10,779
20	Kheri	2,963	905,138	21,587	...	21,587	...	21,587	140	76,794	76,934	98,521
21	Fyzabad	1,749	1,204,967	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,662	1,662	1,662
22	Gonda	2,851	1,403,195	456	...	456	...	456	202	78,915	79,207	79,663
23	Bahraich ...	2,316	1,048,856	18,710	13	18,723	...	18,723	453	40,801	41,254	59,977
24	Sultanpur ...	1,701	1,083,904	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,910	3,910	3,910
25	Bara Banki ...	1,757	1,179,323	...	...	...	...	...	33	12,639	12,672	12,672
26	Dehra Dun ...	1,193	178,195	249	...	249	...	249	...	3	3	252
27	Garhwal ...	5,629	429,900	136	...	136	...	136	...	3,165	3,165	3,301
	Total United Provinces	63,685	23,947,058	56,986	257	57,243	...	57,243	1,606	383,991	385,597	442,840
	Bombay.											
1	Panch Mahals ...	1,606	261,020	...	...	...	...	...	...	823	823	823
2	West Khandesh ...	10,041	1,427,382*	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,895	1,895	1,895
3	Nasik	5,850	413,386	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,020	2,020	2,020
4	Poona ...	5,349	995,330	...	...	...	...	...	...	163	163	163
5	Sholapur ...	4,541	720,977	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,489	1,489	1,489
6	Ahmednagar ...	6,586	837,695	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,977	1,977	1,977
7	Bijapur	5,669	735,435	...	...	...	...	...	...	656	656	656
	Total Bombay ...	39,642	5,391,225	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,023	9,023	9,023
	Bengal.											
1	Nadia	2,793	1,667,491	...	...	...	5,110	5,110	...	2,359	2,359	7,469
2	Cuttack	3,629	2,062,758	...	...	...	794	794	...	5,895	5,895	6,689
3	Balasore	2,059	1,071,197	...	...	...	242	242	...	5,937	5,937	6,179
4	Puri	2,472	1,017,284	...	...	...	1,003	1,003	...	2,735	2,735	3,738
5	Bankura	2,621	1,116,411	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,151	1,151	1,151
6	Ranchi	7,128	1,187,925	8,885	...	8,885	613	9,498	...	6,273	6,273	15,771
7	Hazaribagh ...	7,021	1,177,961	...	...	...	444	444	...	3,586	3,586	4,030
8	Angul	1,681	191,911	...	...	...	1,335	1,335	...	1,425	1,425	2,760
9	Jessore	2,925	1,813,155	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,865	3,865	3,865
10	Burdwan	2,689	1,532,475	...	...	...	...	...	...	434	434	434
	Total Bengal ...	35,018	12,838,568	8,885	...	8,885	9,541	18,426	...	33,660	33,660	52,086

* The area and population have been taken for the District as a whole.

† Figures for the 8th August have been included as no figures were reported for this week.

Statement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Districts and Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India—(*District details*)—continued.

No.	Name of Provinces, Districts and Native States.	Area in Sq. miles.	Population.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 22ND AUGUST 1908.								
				Relief Works.			Number on test works.	Total on works.	Gratuitous Relief.			Grand Total.
				Workers.	Depend-ants.	Total.			Poor-houses or kitchens.	Village doles or other relief.	Total.	
	Central Provinces.											
1	Hoshangabad (portion)	1,250	194,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	527	527	527
2	Damoh (portion) ...	1,070	135,000	978	...	978	...	978	...	2,039	2,039	3,0
3	Nimar (portion) ...	724	86,000	4,427	...	4,427	...	4,427	...	1,196	1,196	5,6
4	Jubbulpore (portion) ..	2,700	372,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,863	10,863	10,8
5	Betul (portion) ...	266	50,000	...	...	...	...	...	106	1,540	1,646	1,6
6	Chhindwara (portion)...	2,874	240,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,677	2,677	2,6
7	Mandla (whole) ...	5,044	307,000	134	...	134	...	134	...	5,444	5,444	5,5
8	Seoni (portion) ...	1,658	184,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,087	2,087	2,0
9	Saugor (portion)	241	33,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,974	1,974	1,9
10	Nagpur („)...	18	200,000	10,374	...	10,374	...	10,374	...	262	262	10,6
11	Bhandara („)...	1,706	178,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	86	86	8
12	Balaghat („)...	2,553	315,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	535	535	5
13	Bilaspur („)...	910	116,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,714	1,714	1,7
14	Narsinghpur(„)...	442	63,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,032	1,032	1,0
15	Chanda („)...	7	17,000	159	...	159	...	159	...	...	... *	1
	Total Central Provinces	21,463	2,550,000	16,072	...	16,072	...	16,072	106	31,976	32,082	48,1
	Madras.											
1	Ganjam	8,372	2,010,256	...	...	...	...	...	...	215	215	2
2	Bellary taluk ...	962	193,401	...	...	...	916	916	...	...	...	9
	Total ...	9,334	2,203,657	...	...	...	916	916	...	215	215	1,1
	Total British Provinces	169,142	46,930,508	81,943	257	82,200	10,457	92,657	1,712	458,865	460,577	553,2
	Central India States.											
1	Rewa	13,000	1,327,385	1,583	...	1,583	...	1,583	...	1,110	1,110	2,6
2	Nagod	501	67,092									
3	Jaso	72	7,209	...	...	...	...	...	...	250	250	
4	Baraunda... ...	217	15,724									
5	Kamta	4	1,000									
6	Orchha	2,079	322,000									
7	Alipura ... (Jagir)...	73	15,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	252	252	
8	Tori Fatehpur („)...	36	7,000									
9	Manpur (British) ...	49	5,000	1	...	1	...	1	...	79	79	
10	Indore	5,120	357,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,413	6,413	6,4
11	Gwalior Residency area	1	1,000	63	...	63	...	63	...	18	18	
	Total Central India States.	21,152	2,125,410	1,647	...	1,647	...	1,647	...	8,122	8,122	9,7
	Bombay States.											
	Jath	884	61,868	...	...	...	...	...	...	88	88	
	Total Bombay States...	884	61,868	...	...	...	...	...	...	88	88	
	Total Native States...	22,036	2,187,278	1,647	...	1,647	...	1,647	...	8,210	8,210	9,8
	Grand Total British Provinces and Native States.	191,178	49,117,786	83,590	257	83,847	10,457	94,304	1,712	467,075	468,787	563,0

* Figures for the 8th August have been included as no figures were reported for this or the previous weeks.

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Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

RAILWAY BOARD.

STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column *Total earnings*, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

Railways.	Average earnings per mile per week.		Results of working during 2nd-half of year.										Results of working for official year.			
			Mean mileage worked.		Total earnings for week ending		Earnings per mile open for week		Total earnings from 1st July to		Increase.	Decrease.	Total earnings from 1st April to		Increase.	Decrease.
	During 2nd-half of 1907.	During official year 1907-08.	1907.	1908.	31st August 1907.	29th August 1908.	1907.	1908.	31st August 1907.	29th August 1908.			31st August 1907.	29th August 1908.		
	₹	₹	*Miles.*	*Miles.*	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹
State and Guaranteed Railways.																
5′ 6″ gauge. Bengal-Nagpur (including 2′ 6″ gauge lines)	244	264	2,038	2,123	4,00,107	4,18,000	196	197	41,72,677	34,54,000	...	7,18,677	1,18,46,908	1,03,69,000	...	14,77,908
Bezwada extension	267	288	21	21	4,726	7,200	225	343	39,609	56,100	16,491	...	1,22,477	1,56,000	33,523	...
Bombay, Baroda and Central India (incldg. V.-Wadhwan section 3′ 3½″ gauge)	688	790	504	504	2,35,745	2,29,000	468	454	26,49,707	23,98,000	...	2,51,707	90,34,050	84,78,000	...	5,56,050
Nagda-Muttra	29	37	101	139	1,884	2,900	19	21	(*a*) 16,842	32,600	15,758	...	(*a*)16,842	1,14,000	97,158	...
Eastern Bengal (incldg. 3′ 3½″ and 2′ 6″ gauge lines)	442	399	1,268	1,274	7,36,157	7,09,000	581	557	42,10,321	39,66,000	...	2,44,321	95,57,044	97,03,000	1,45,956	...
East Indian	635	681	2,321	2,328	14,00,919	14,66,000	604	620	1,29,27,250	1,30,81,000	1,53,750	...	3,41,60,625	3,37,31,000	...	4,29,625
Great Indian Peninsula	551	626	1,569	1,606	6,18,179	5,66,000	394	352	58,75,597	52,65,000	...	6,10,597	2,03,99,019	1,70,36,000	...	33,63,019
Agra-Delhi Chord	230	233	126	126	30,135	22,400	239	178	2,28,447	2,14,000	...	14,447	6,05,118	6,03,000	...	2,118
Baran Kotah (*b*)	...	...	...	13	...	100	...	8		1,000	1,000	...	...	1,000	1,000	...
Indian Midland (incldg. Bhopal-Itarsi)	226	257	914	914	1,84,099	1,53,000	201	167	17,81,522	13,91,000	...	3,90,522	54,27,147	43,80,000	...	10,47,147
Madras and Southern Mahratta (including 3′ 3½″ gauge lines)	207	220	2,883	2,838	6,10,580	4,87,000	212	172	52,30,430	46,07,000	...	6,23,430	1,46,23,164	1,32,05,000	...	14,18,164
North-Western (including 2′ 6″ gauge lines)	387	371	3,614	3,614	14,64,078	11,95,000	405	331	1,39,04,251	84,99,000	...	54,05,251	3,15,15,285	2,30,52,000	...	84,63,285
Oudh and Rohilkhand (incldg. C.-Burhwal 3′ 3½″ link)	261	269	1,298	1,298	3,32,323	2,41,000	256	186	29,25,501	22,91,000	...	6,34,501	76,28,928	66,56,000	...	9,72,928
Hardwar-Dehra	230	235	32	32	6,003	4,600	188	144	59,836	50,700	...	9,136	1,66,349	1,64,000	...	2,349
3′ 3½″ gauge. Assam-Bengal	127	121	771	771	84,495	76,000	110	99	7,77,832	6,65,000	...	1,12,832	18,84,359	17,66,000	...	1,18,359
Bezwada-Masulipatam (*c*)	...	...	...	40	...	4,900	...	100	...	44,000	44,000	...	...	1,35,000	1,35,000	...
Burma	203	240	1,401	1,475	2,63,334	2,70,000	188	183	19,93,111	22,38,000	2,44,889	...	62,85,360	70,78,000	7,91,640	...
Jodhpur-Hyderabad (British Section)	121	128	124	124	14,362	10,400	116	84	1,16,468	94,100	...	22,368	3,33,254	2,94,000	...	39,254
Lucknow-Bareilly	137	148	200	200	36,151	25,400	181	127	2,14,311	1,99,000	...	15,311	6,79,275	6,40,000	...	39,275
Palanpur-Deesa	44	50	17	17	364	500	21	29	5,266	4,300	...	966	17,821	19,800	1,979	...
Rajputana-Malwa (including Godhra-Rutlam-Nagda 5′ ″ gauge)	267	282	1,909	1,914	4,69,297	3,18,000	246	166	45,67,717	29,73,000	...	15,94,717	1,23,44,402	95,00,000	...	28,44,402
South Indian (including 5′ 6″ and 2′ 6″ gauge lines)	217	235	1,330	1,375	2,85,268	3,41,000	214	248	25,45,240	30,39,000	4,93,760	...	65,82,837	81,42,000	15,59,163	...
Tanjore District Board	112	121	103	103	11,922	10,600	116	103	1,00,239	1,08,000	7,761	...	2,87,145	2,99,000	11,855	...
Travancore Branch	115	110	108	108	10,278	12,000	95	111	94,644	1,00,000	5,356	...	2,52,835	2,60,000	7,165	...
Tirhoot State	197	212	690	774	95,040	1,20,000	138	155	9,83,755	11,11,000	1,27,245	...	31,02,234	34,67,000	3,64,766	...
2′ 6″ gauge. Jorhat	57	59	32	30	1,959	1,600	61	53	16,671	15,700	...	971	40,287	38,300	...	1,987
TOTAL	330	347	23,374	23,770	72,97,405	66,91,600	312	282	6,54,37,244	5,58,97,506	...	95,39,744	17,69,18,765	15,92,87,100	...	1,76,26,665

	All other Railways.	129	113	[illegible]	[illegible]	3,593	1,000	120	164	[illegible]	34,000	...	3,507	76,312	93,000	...	1,212
5' 6" gauge.	Bhopal-Ujjain	113	129	114	114	9,650	9,000	85	79	1,36,344	89,200	...	47,144	3,84,549	2,86,000	...	98,549
	Bina-Goona-Baran	65	73	148	148	8,962	5,100	61	34	98,211	43,700	...	54,511	2,66,127	2,04,000	...	62,127
	Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	261	258	162	162	33,355	32,600	206	201	3,28,218	3,08,000	...	20,218	8,90,115	8,84,000	...	6,115
	Jammu-Kashmir (Native State Section)	97	97	16	16	1,687	1,400	68	87	11,288	13,600	2,312	...	30,455	37,500	7,045	...
	Kolar Gold-fields	405	383	10	10	3,212	2,900	321	290	37,166	25,400	...	11,766	88,360	72,200	...	16,160
	Ludhiana-Dhuri-Jakhal	156	154	79	79	11,300	12,100	143	153	1,05,584	1,06,000	416	...	2,76,163	2,71,000	...	5,163
	Nagda-Ujjain	91	109	34	34	2,745	2,200	81	65	31,095	17,400	...	13,695	96,545	73,500	...	23,045
	Nizam's Guaranteed State	277	289	334	334	87,580	79,200	262	237	6,71,921	6,04,000	...	67,921	19,78,257	19,13,000	...	65,257
	Petlad-Cambay	105	123	34	34	2,640	2,500	78	74	28,707	24,700	...	4,007	96,660	1,00,000	3,340	...
	Rajpura-Bhatinda	298	274	107	107	22,165	22,500	207	210	2,30,201	2,11,000	...	19,201	5,63,890	5,43,000	...	20,890
	Southern Punjab	249	229	425	425	73,537	64,400	173	152	8,09 267	5,35,000	...	2,74,267	18,50,276	14,13,000	...	4,37,276
	" "Ludhiana" extension	122	112	155	155	17,124	14,100	110	91	1,74,880	1,33,000	...	41,880	3,83,689	3,38,000	...	45,689
	Tapti Valley	89	124	155	155	13,735	6,700	89	43	96,007	65,400	...	30,607	4,36,748	3,33,000	...	1,03,748
	Tarkessur	261	323	22	22	4,252	3,900	193	177	53,548	47,000	...	6,548	1,59,356	1,48,000	...	11,356
3' 3½" gauge.	Ahmedabad-Dholka	60	68	34	34	1,808	1,100	53	32	17,682	13,500	...	4,182	53,098	54,700	1,602	...
	Ahmedabad Parantij	83	95	55	55	3,526	2,100	64	38	35,734	28,500	...	7,234	1,12,763	1,21,000	8,237	...
	Bengal and North-Western	142	163	1,015	1,017	1,05,020	1,14,000	103	112	13,00,782	11,18,000	...	1,82,782	40,17,998	33,53,000	...	6,64,998
	Bengal Dooars	139	130	153	153	17,040	28,900	111	189	1,65,352	1,72,000	6,648	...	4,02,409	4,03,000	591	...
	Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar	100	118	455	459	34,054	32,500	75	71	3,33,090	3,18,000	...	15,090	11,70,877	12,36,000	65,123	...
	Birur-Shimoga	60	73	38	38	2,105	2,700	55	71	22,477	22,900	423	...	65,210	61,400	...	3,810
	Dibru-Sadiya	260	257	78	78	24 179	21,100	310	271	1,73,424	1,67,000	...	6,424	4,32,146	4,32,000	...	146
	Gaekwar's Mehsana (including Vijapur-Kalol-Kadi)	69	78	134	134	6,806	6,100	51	46	71,161	70,100	...	1,061	2,44,346	2,49,000	4,654	...
	Hindupur	118	126	51	51	6,836	5,000	134	98	50,111	43,500	...	6,611	1,50,955	1,20,000	...	30,955
	Hyderabad-Godavari Valley	118	160	392	392	39,572	42,000	101	107	3,08,534	3,58,000	49,466	...	13,28,666	12,88,000	...	40,666
	Jaipur	48	42	32	73	805	1,100	25	15	8,917	11,800	2,883	...	26,264	42 800	16,536	...
	Jodhpur-Bikaner	72	80	709	709	48,004	34,400	68	49	4,33,879	3,36,000	...	97,879	13,06,615	11,35,000	...	1,71,615
	Kolhapur	99	130	29	29	2,929	3,300	101	114	26,893	31,700	4,807	...	84 265	97,000	12,735	...
	Morvi (including Vankaner-Morvi 2' 6" gauge)	86	92	95	93	5,828	7,700	61	83	63,363	73,700	10,337	...	1,79,689	2,31,000	51,311	...
	Mymensingh-Jamalpur-Jagannathganj	126	121	51	54	7,808	8,900	153	165	49 471	51,300	1,829	...	1,22 116	1,37,000	14,884	...
	Mysore-Nanjangud	46	52	16	16	554	1,100	35	69	5,626	8,900	3,274	...	16,436	23,500	7,064	...
	Rohilkund and Kumaon	151	147	130	214	27,048	21,200	208	99	1,93,375	1,84,000	...	9,375	5,26,384	5,55,000	28,616	...
	Sangli	80	112	5	5	374	600	75	120	3,416	5,100	1,684	...	12,598	15,100	2,502	...
	Shoranur-Cochin	118	126	65	65	8,047	7,500	133	115	55,418	56,000	582	...	1,70,909	1,63,000	...	7,909
	Udaipur-Chitor	61	70	67	67	2,922	3,800	44	57	39,799	25,500	...	14,299	1,14,468	1,04,000	...	10,468
2' 6" gauge.	Barsi	116	125	78	78	5,541	4,500	71	58	1,05,643	67,900	...	37,743	2,57,844	1,92,000	...	65,844
	Cooch-Behar	105	102	34	34	3,224	3,400	95	100	25 555	26,600	1,045	...	65,061	76,700	11,639	...
	Gaekwar's Dabhoi	73	96	94	94	5,053	4,700	54	50	49,794	43,100	...	6,694	2,10,475	2,06,000	...	4,475
	Rajpipla	32	43	37	37	1,339	800	36	22	9,837	7,600	...	2,237	37,376	32,200	...	5,176
2' 0" gauge.	Darjeeling-Himalayan	355	350	51	51	16,197	18,000	318	353	1,39,900	1,31,000	...	8,900	4,10,741	4,18,000	7,259	...
	TOTAL	140	150	5,721	5,853	6,72,101	6,39,700	117	109	65,39,177	56,29,100	...	9,10,077	1,90,97,111	1,74,37,600	...	16,59,511
	GRAND TOTAL	293	308	29,095	29,623	79,69,506	73,31,300	274	248	7,19,76,421	6,15,26,600	...	1,04,49,821	19,60,10,876	17,67,24,700	...	1,92,86,176

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 17th September 1908, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

The Arabian Sea monsoon was weak and confined to the Peninsula and the Central Provinces in almost all parts of which areas some rain occurred, being much heavier than usual in south Hyderabad and Berar. Rainfall due to the Bay current was abundant in Burma and Eastern Bengal and Assam, and light in the province of Bengal excluding Bihar where weather was dry throughout the week. In the rest of the country there was no monsoon and skies were generally clear, while in the Gangetic plain westerly winds were blowing during the latter part of the period and caused a large decrease in humidity.

Burma.—Monywa was the only station that received no rain during the week and at Mandalay and Yamethin the fall was light, but at all other stations the rainfall was moderate to heavy. Skies were moderately clouded and temperature was normal.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—In Eastern Bengal and Assam good rain fell in all parts of the division, especially in Assam, and in Bengal, Orissa and Chota Nagpur there was light rain at all stations, but in Bihar weather was dry and skies were clear. They were lightly clouded in the other western districts and were moderately clouded elsewhere. Temperature did not differ much from the normal.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Rain fell at Sutna on the 11th, at Meerut on the 12th and at Bahraich on the 13th, but these are the only stations in the United Provinces and Central India that have reported rain. At

Khandwa no rain fell but it occurred in the rest of the Central Provinces, though the fall at Saugor was very light. In the United Provinces skies were clear and towards the end of the week the moisture in the air was much less than usual; in the rest of the division skies were lightly clouded and temperature was generally normal everywhere:

Northwest India.—A few light showers occurred in upper India and Kotah and Surat had light falls, but otherwise weather was dry and skies were generally clear. Maximum temperature was usually in defect over the greater part of the division.

The Peninsula.—Rainfall was very light on the west coast, in the west of the Bombay Deccan and Mysore, but in the rest of the Peninsula rainfall was generally equal to or above the average. Skies were moderately or heavily clouded and temperature was normal.

The following summarises the chief rainfall amounts of the week as reported at 8 hrs. each day:—

September 11th. Mergui 3·08″, Dibrugarh 2·53″, Cherrapoonjee 8·27″, Mymensingh 3·17″, Hazaribagh 0·92″ and Madras 1·24″.

" 12th. Tavoy 3·30″, Diamond Island 3·51″, Akyab 2·28″, Silchar 3·71″ and Cuttack 1·57″.

" 13th. Minbu 2·35″, Dhubri 1·74″, Burdwan 1·31″, Nagpur 1·13″ and Raichur 1·47″.

" 14th. Akyab 2·23″, Thayetmyo 1·09″, Jalpaiguri 3·48″, Malegaon 0·98″, Gulbarga 2·74″, Raichur 3·12″, Hyderabad (Deccan) 1·57″, Cuddalore 1·26″, Cocanada 2·52″ and Vizagapatam 1·03″.

September 15th. Maymyo 1·90″, Bhamo 1·84″, Chittagong 1·26″, Calcutta 1·10″, False Point 0·94″, Akola 1·02″, Bijapur 1·36″, and Nizamabad 1·50″.

" 16th. Bassein 1·81″, Bhamo 1·83″, Sibsagar 1·80″, Mymensingh 2·08″, Malegaon 1·07″, Ahmednagar 1·05″ and Sholapur 2·13″.

" 17th. Dhubri 1·81″, Cherrapoonjee 4·25″, Barisal 3·19″, Ratnagiri 2·05″, Goa 1·50″, Belgaum 1·56″, Aurangabad 1·08″ and Trichinopoly 2·35″.

In Upper Burma, Assam and south Hyderabad there was a large excess in the rainfall during the week and in the last area the deficiency in the seasonal rainfall has been materially decreased. In Bihar and the east of the United Provinces the deficiency in the rainfall has increased and these subdivisions and the Madras Deccan are the only areas where rainfall is more than 20 per cent. in defect.

DIVISION.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 17TH SEPTEMBER 1908.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 1ST MAY 1908 TO 17TH SEPTEMBER 1908.				
	Average actual rainfall in inches.	Average normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Average actual rainfall of season to date in inches.	Average normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	SEASONAL PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL. This week.	SEASONAL PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL. Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Stations in the Bay	2·6	5·7	−3·1	106·8	76·8	+ 30·0	+ 39	+ 47
Lower Burma	4·6	5·4	−0·8	126·0	120·4	+ 5·6	+ 5	+ 6
Upper Burma	2·2	1·7	+0·5	32·5	32·5	0	0	− 2
Assam	4·0	2·6	+1·4	69·1	69·0	+ 0·1	0	− 2
Eastern Bengal	3·3	3·1	+0·2	56·6	67·2	− 10·6	− 16	− 17
Bengal	1·1	2·1	−1·0	54·8	47·1	+ 7·7	+ 16	+ 19
Orissa	1·8	2·7	−0·9	52·9	49·4	+ 3·5	+ 7	+ 9
Chota Nagpur	0·7	2·4	−1·7	44·7	43·4	+ 1·3	+ 3	+ 7
Bihar	0	2·6	−2·6	22·3	43·9	− 21·6	− 49	− 46
United Provinces, East	0	1·2	−1·2	28·2	36·1	− 7·9	− 22	− 19
United Provinces, West	0·1	1·5	−1·4	39·6	38·4	+ 1·2	+ 3	+ 7
Punjab, East and North	0·1	0·9	−0·8	30·4	20·9	+ 9·5	+ 45	+ 51
Punjab, South-west	0	0·2	−0·2	18·5	7·7	+ 10·8	+140	+147
Kashmir	0	0·1	−0·1	6·8	4·5	+ 2·3	+ 51	+ 55
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0·1	−0·1	11·1	5·3	+ 5·8	+109	+113
Baluchistan	0	0	0	0·5	1·3	− 0·8	− 62	− 62
Sind	0	0·1	−0·1	9·3	5·1	+ 4·2	+ 82	+ 86
Rajputana, West	0	0·4	−0·4	25·1	10·8	+ 14·3	+132	+141
Rajputana, East	0·1	1·1	−1·0	32·9	21·7	+ 11·2	+ 52	+ 59
Gujarat	0	1·2	−1·2	27·4	24·5	+ 2·9	+ 12	+ 18
Central India, West	0·1	2·4	−2·3	24·7	28·3	− 3·6	− 13	− 5
Central India, East	0·8	1·6	−0·8	45·5	39·1	+ 6·4	+ 16	+ 19
Berar	2·4	1·4	+1·0	30·5	26·7	+ 3·8	+ 14	+ 11
Central Provinces, West	1·3	2·3	−1·0	41·5	42·5	− 1·0	− 2	0
Central Provinces, East	1·8	2·4	−0·6	49·6	45·0	+ 4·6	+ 10	+ 12
Konkan	1·1	2·7	−1·6	92·8	89·3	+ 3·5	+ 4	+ 6
Bombay Deccan	1·6	1·7	−0·1	19·5	20·9	− 1·4	− 7	− 7
Hyderabad, North	2·7	2·4	+0·3	28·4	28·0	+ 0·4	+ 1	0
Hyderabad, South	4·3	1·7	+2·6	20·8	22·6	− 1·8	− 8	− 21
Mysore	0·6	0·9	−0·3	15·4	16·7	− 1·3	− 8	− 7
Malabar	1·3	1·9	−0·6	84·8	79·0	+ 5·8	+ 7	+ 8
Madras, South-east	0·8	0·7	+0·1	12·2	11·0	+ 1·2	+ 11	+ 11
Madras Deccan	1·3	1·2	+0·1	11·6	16·1	− 4·5	− 28	− 31
Madras Coast, North	1·3	1·6	−0·3	17·2	20·5	− 3·3	− 16	− 16

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SIMLA ;
The 17th September 1908.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 12th September 1908.

Burma.—Rain fell in nearly all districts varying in amounts from heavy to moderate in Lower Burma and moderate to light in Upper Burma. In Lower Burma transplanting of winter rice has been completed in some districts and progresses in the remainder. In Upper Burma transplanting of winter rice is going on satisfactorily in several districts. The early sesamum crop is being reaped and the cultivation of other autumn crops is making satisfactory progress. The condition of standing crops in Lower Burma is good while in the Upper Province it is generally fair. Prospects are good. The price of unhusked rice has risen in one district and has fallen in five others.

Eastern Bengal and Assam.—Almost every part of the Province has received a heavy fall of rain during the past week. Prospects of standing crops and especially of winter rice are thereby greatly improved. A small test relief work was opened in Rangpur but on the 12th September 1908 only 6 people remained at the relief work in Dinajpur. The price of rice has risen again at eighteen and has fallen at only five stations but the general average is slightly lower than the same rate of last year. Cattle disease prevails in Backarganj, Noakhali, Dinajpur, Malda, Darrang, Nowgong and the Garo, Khasi and Jaintia Hills.

Bengal.—Rain was general all over the Province. The fall being good in the Presidency and Bhagalpur divisions and in North Bihar. In the latter tracts transplantation of paddy has been resumed and the agricultural outlook has improved. More rain is still needed in North Bihar. Harvesting of jute and autumn paddy continues. Sugarcane is doing well. Prospects of winter paddy are fair in the tract where transplantation has been finished. Damage has been caused by floods in Puri and Cuttack and especially in Balasore. Insect-pests are still doing injury in the 24-Parganas and Ranchi. The price of common rice has fallen in Bankura, Nadia, Gaya, Shahabad, Bhagalpur, Balasore, Angul, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh and Ranchi and has risen in Saran only. Stocks of food-grains are still reported to be insufficient in Nadia and Palamau. Scarcity is apprehended in parts of Saran. Cattle-disease is reported from Burdwan, Shahabad, Purnea, Sambalpur, Hazaribagh, Ranchi and Palamau. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient throughout the Province. The number of persons attending the test-works in Bankura, Nadia, Murshidabad, Cuttack, Angul, Puri and Ranchi was 5,851. Gratuitous relief was given to 33,491 persons of whom 19,174 are in Orissa. The number of persons on famine relief works in Ranchi was 3,280.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows :—*Ranchi district.*—In the declared area, workers exclusive of dependants 5,486; on gratuitous relief (*a*) dependants of workers *nil*; (*b*) in poor-houses or kitchens *nil* and (*c*) on village doles 5,255. Grand total on relief 10,741. The reduction in the numbers on relief is due to the *Karna* festival but the numbers are not expected to rise again. Three works have been closed in Ghagra where distress is practically over. Bishenpur will be safe this week and the rest by the 25th of the month. Last payment of gratuitous relief is being paid now. *Gora dhan* is practically safe everywhere and is a good crop. Relief will probably stop as it is cut. Cholera is still bad in the mofussil.

United Provinces.—The rainfall of the week amounted to nearly 4 inches in Ballia and over 5 inches in Gorakhpur, Basti, Azamgarh, Ghazipur, Mirzapur and Naini Tal but a general break has set in since the middle of the week. Very little rain fell in the Meerut and Agra divisions; 6 districts recording no rain. The break has been beneficial in these divisions and in Bundelkhand, but in many of the eastern districts and practically all Oudh more rain is needed for late rice. In Bara Banki there is an urgent need of rain. Prospects of autumn crops are at present good almost everywhere and if the required rain is received at least a normal crop should be obtained. Weeding of autumn crops and ploughing of lands for spring crops continue and late rice is still being transplanted in places. The early autumn crops, maize, *sawan*, *kodon* and early rice are being harvested but there has as yet been no general fall in prices. Maize is selling at 20 seers for the rupee. Cawnpore and 17 districts record lower prices than last week but a rise has taken place in Gorakhpur. Elsewhere prices are stationary. The condition of cattle is satisfactory though there is some sporadic cattle disease. Fodder and water are sufficient.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows :—All relief operations have now been practically closed though a number of persons are still shown on gratuitous relief in 17 districts until the period of the valedictory dole ends and a few poor-houses remain open. There are now no indications of distress. The general health of the people is satisfactory except for the prevalence of malaria which in some districts is of a severe

type. Cholera also continues in several districts. The numbers on relief are:—on relief works 46; on aided works 112; on gratuitous relief 272,354; in poor-houses 1,269; total 273,781. The largest total figures are:—Kheri 64,360; Gonda 40,369; Bahraich 34,163. Prices:—Garhwal 5½; Mirzapur 3 to 11; Bundelkhand 9$\frac{3}{16}$ to 10; elsewhere 11 to 14½ seers per rupee.

Punjab.—Light to moderate rain fell in all districts except Gurgaon, Ferozepore and Multan where no rain was received. Prices of food-grains are still high. Wheat, as compared with last week, is slightly rising in Rohtak, Gurgaon, Ludhiana, Mianwali and Multan; falling in Delhi and Amritsar and is unchanged elsewhere. Ploughings for and sowings of certain spring crops are in progress in some districts. The condition and prospects of standing crops are generally good. Crops on low-lying lands have been damaged by heavy rains and by floods in Ferozepore, Sialkot and Multan and by rats in Gujranwala. Cattle are generally in good condition. Green grass is plentiful throughout the Province. There are no complaints regarding the water supply.

North-West Frontier Province.—Rain fell all over the Province ranging from 14 cents at Bannu to 9·12 inches at Charsadda. Autumn sowings are practically finished. The general condition of standing crops on irrigated and unirrigated areas is average and the outturn is expected to be the same. Picking of cotton and reaping of rice have commenced in the Peshawar district. The *peeshogai* insect reported before is still damaging autumn crops in certain villages in the Peshawar tahsil. Pasturage and water are sufficient. Irrigation from Government canals has been stopped in the Charsadda and Mardan tahsils. There is some irrigation by river inundation and from the Paharpur canal in the Dera Ismail Khan district. Floods in rivers are generally diminishing. The public health is generally good but cholera is still prevalent in the tahsils of Mardan, Charsadda and Swabi and seasonal fever in almost the whole of the Peshawar district. The condition of cattle is generally fair except in several villages of tahsils Nowshera, Mardan, Peshawar, Marwat and Dera Ismail Khan and at Bannu. Prices of food-grains are stationary. Prices:—wheat 9¾ to 12¾; gram 10¼ to 13; maize 9$\frac{15}{16}$ to 17 and *bajra* 11 to 14½ seers per rupee.

Jammu.—Heavy rain fell during the week. Prices are stationary. Wheat sells from 8 to 14 and maize from 9½ to 18 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is fair. Fodder is sufficient.

Kashmir.—The weather is almost bright with slight rain. The condition of standing crops is average. There is no change in prices. The condition of cattle and fodder is good.

Rajputana.—The rainfall during the week was:—Bikaner 3 inches 62 cents; Hill tracts of Mewar 48 cents and slight rain in Banswara, Partabgarh, Shahpura and Dholpur. Standing crops are improving in Haraoti and Tonk and are on the whole doing well or fairly well in other places except that the condition of maize and *bajra* is still bad in Sirohi, Hill tracts and the Merwara district. The condition of cattle is generally good. Pasturage and fodder are sufficient. Prices show a tendency to rise in Bikaner, Partabgarh and Kishangarh but have fallen by ¾ seer in Ajmer and by 1½ seers in Karauli.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was general. Weeding operations are in progress. Sowing of *til* has commenced in Bhopal. Lands are being prepared for spring crops in Gwalior, Baghelkhand, Malwa and Bhopawar. Crops have been slightly damaged by excessive rain in parts of Gwalior, Indore, Malwa and Bhopawar. Agricultural stock is fair to good. Cattle disease is prevalent in parts of Indore, Bhopal, Bundelkhand and Bhopawar. Prices have fallen slightly in Ratlam and are high but steady elsewhere.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows:—Relief works have been closed in Manpur. Prices are constant. The numbers on relief are:—Rewa—on works 826; on gratuitous relief 1,019; total 1,845. Indore State—on works *nil*; on gratuitous relief 2,073. In the Gwalior Residency area—on works 45; on gratuitous relief 17. Bundelkhand figures have not been received but the numbers, if any, are small. Grand total on works 871; on gratuitous relief 3,109; on both kinds of relief 3,980.

Central Provinces.—Moderate rain was received intermittently during the week. The principal falls (in inches) were:—Narsinghpur and Wardha 7; Nagpur 6; Seoni and Chanda 4; Bhandara and Drug 3; elsewhere the quantity received ranged from 2 inches in Betul to 20 cents in Buldana. Sowings of *til* and *kutki* still continue in Jubbulpore, Narsinghpur, Wardha, Balaghat and the Vindhyan districts. Weeding of autumn crops and preparation of land for winter sowings are in progress throughout the Provinces but operations have been retarded to some extent owing to continuous rain in Hoshangabad, Wardha, Nagpur and Mandla. Continuous rain has slightly damaged crops in Wardha, Chanda, Bhandara, Amraoti and Yeotmal and a clear break would be welcome; otherwise the condition of standing crops is generally good and prospects are favourable. Harvesting of minor crops is in progress in Damoh, Mandla, Narsinghpur, Hoshangabad, Nimar, Betul and Chhindwara. Rice and *kodon* are in ear in Damoh. Fodder and water

are adequate. Agricultural stock is generally in good condition except in Bhandara where high mortality is reported in places for want of fodder. Prices :—The price of wheat rose in Mandla and fell in Betul by ¼ seer per rupee. Wheat became dearer by ½ seer in Seoni. The price of rice in Balaghat and Raipur rose by ½ and ¼ seer respectively. *Juar* became cheaper in Amraoti by ½ seer and in Buldana by 1 seer; elsewhere prices of staple food-grains remained fairly steady.

Feudatory States.—Light to moderate rain was received during the week. The rain-fall measured in inches was:—Khairagarh 6; Kawardha 3; Korea 2 and Sirguja and Raj-Nandgaon 2 each; elsewhere the quantity received did not exceed 1 inch. Weeding is in progress. Preparation of land for sowing of spring crops continues. Insect pests and excessive moisture have injured crops slightly in Kawardha; otherwise the condition of crops is generally good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Wheat in Sirguja and rice in Sarangarh fell by 2 seers and wheat became dearer by 1 seer in Kanker.

The weekly report on the famine and scarcity is as follows :—During the week the rainfall was light. Frequent intervals of sunshine have done much good but a longer break is still desirable. Preparation of land for spring sowings has commenced. Standing crops are good except for some slight damage from caterpillars and excessive rain, but the damage crops are recovering gradually. Distress has now begun to abate. The numbers on village relief works in Damoh have risen, but those on gratuitous relief have declined further owing to the expansion of agricultural operations rendered possible by a short break and the harvesting of early millets. Numbers on ordinary Public Works Department contract works and on the Itarsi Nagpur Railway continue steady. Weaver relief has slightly expanded. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Relief measures are adequate. Prices are steady. The numbers on relief are :—on works 888; weavers 15,666; on gratuitous relief 25,007; total 41,561.

Bombay.—The rainfall during the week was good in parts of Ahmednagar and Bijapur; moderate in parts of Poona and Sholapur and slight in parts of Gujarat, the Konkan, Khandesh, Nasik, Satara, Belgaum, Dharwar and the Gujarat Native States. The rainfall was insufficient in parts of the Deccan and the Karnatak and sufficient elsewhere. Sowing continues in parts of Ahmedabad, Kaira, Broach, Poona, Baroda and Cutch. Standing crops have been slightly damaged by insects in parts of Sind and Kathiawar; by rats in Karachi and are suffering from want of moisture in parts of Nasik, Belgaum and Dharwar. Crops are in good condition elsewhere. Transplantation continues in parts of Ahmedabad, Kaira, Kanara and Palanpur. The supply of fodder is adequate except in parts of Nasik, Ahmednagar, Poona and Bijapur. Agricultural stock are generally in good condition and sufficient except in parts of Ahmednagar, Poona, Sholapur and Cutch. The supply of water for drinking as well as for irrigation is sufficient except in parts of Ahmednagar, Poona and Bijapur. Prices of food-grains have risen slightly in Sind; have fallen in the Deccan and are almost stationary elsewhere. The quantity purchasable per rupee is in Sind 32 to 42 per cent; in Gujarat 35 to 76 per cent; in the Konkan 23 to 33 per cent; in the Deccan 36 to 52 per cent and in the Karnatak 32 to 50 per cent less than the normal. Stocks of grain are generally adequate. Labourers get sufficient field employment and wages are normal.. The cultivating and labouring classes are in fair condition. The daily average numbers on gratuitous relief are:—Panch Mahals 728; West Khandesh 1,858; Nasik 2,020; Ahmednagar 2,419; Poona 331; Sholapur 1,489; Bijapur 703 and Jath 95.

Hyderabad.—The rainfall during the week was 2 inches 12 cents. It was generally good especially in parts of the Aurangabad and Raichur districts where it was badly wanted. Autumn crops are in fair to good condition. Weeding continues in parts. In parts of the Parbhani and Nander districts cotton crops are being injuriously affected by excessive rain. Early rice sowings continue but are limited owing to water in tanks being inadequate. Spring sowings are progressing; more lands being under preparation. The week's rain of 58 cents in the Gangawati taluka to over 4 inches in Alpur has improved prospects in the Raichur district except the Kushtagi taluka. The condition of the talukas of Ashti in the Bir district and Deverkonda of the Nalgunda district which was critical has improved by the week's rainfall of 3 and 2 inches respectively. The scarcity of water and fodder has almost disappeared. Cattle disease is reported in 13 talukas. Prices :—Wheat 5¼, coarse rice 5¾ and *juar* 11¾ seers per rupee. White *juar* is selling in Hyderabad City at 11 seers per rupee. Yellow *juar* is not available in the market. The highest price in districts is 8¼ to 9 seers in 7 talukas and the lowest 21 seers in the Khandar taluka of the Nander district.

Mysore.—The rain during the week was good in Bangalore, Kolar and Tumkur and slight elsewhere. Prices of food-grains are generally steady. Standing crops are in moderately good condition. The recent rains have improved the condition of crops in Bangalore, Kolar and Tumkur. Prospects of the season are fair but more rain is needed all over the State. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available except in parts of Mysore, Hassan, Kadur and Chitaldrug where they are getting scanty.

Coorg.—Rainfall 41 cents. Transplanting of rice is completed. Prices of food-grains are high. The public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall was heavy in Tanjore, Kurnool, Salem, Trichinopoly, Nellore and North Arcot; light in Malabar and South Canara and good elsewhere. Irrigation supplies are insufficient in parts of all districts except Godavari, Guntur, Coimbatore, Trichinopoly, Malabar, South Canara and the Nilgiris. Ploughing, sowing, weeding and transplanting are in progress in parts. Standing crops are generally fair but some in parts of Kurnool, Bellary, Nellore, Madura and Tinnevelly are withering or require more rain. Harvests continue, with outturn poor to normal. Pasture is insufficient in parts of Guntur, Bellary, Anantapur, Nellore, South Arcot, Coimbatore, Trichinopoly, Madura and Tinnevelly. Fodder is scanty in parts of the Circars, the Deccan and Trichinopoly. The condition of cattle is generally good. The price of rice is stationary in eleven districts; has fallen in five and has risen in seven. The prices of millets have fluctuated as follows:—*Ragi* is stationary in ten districts; has fallen in seven and has risen in four. *Cholam* is stationary in four districts; has fallen in five and has risen in five. *Cumbu* is stationary in five districts; has fallen in seven and has risen in three. The public health is generally good but cholera is prevalent in several districts, Malabar, Anantapur and Cuddapah being most affected. Prospects are generally fair and have improved considerably by recent rains. The condition of the labouring classes is good and employment is procurable. Grain stocks are generally sufficient. The average number of Khonds relieved by doles in the Ganjam district is 458. The number relieved in the Bellary taluk on test-work is 185 and in the poor-house 12.

Statement showing the number of persons in receipt of relief:

Name of Province or State.	Preceding week. (Revised figures.)			Present week.			Increase or Decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
British Provinces.							
Bengal . . .	14,512	33,366	47,878	9,131	33,491	42,622	—5,256
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	391	314,854	315,245*	158	273,623	273,781	—41,464
Central Provinces .	626	42,785	43,411	888	40,673	41,561	—1,850
Bombay . . .	...	9,128	9,128	...	9,548	9,548	+420
Madras . . .	913	222	1,135	185	470	655	—480
Total British Provinces.	16,442	400,355	416,797	10,362	357,805	368,167	—48,630
Native States.							
Central India States .	949	5,033	5,982†	871	3,326	4,197‡	—1,785
Bombay Native States .	...	95	95	...	95	95	...
Total Native States	949	5,128	6,077	871	3,421	4,292	—1,785
GRAND TOTAL .	17,391	405,483	422,874	11,233	361,226	372,459	—50,415

* Excludes 2,442 persons relieved on private works.

† Figures for the Bundelkhand Agency for the week ending 29th August 1908, have been repeated for this and last week as relief figures have not been reported.

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				Workers.	Dependants.	Total.			Poor-houses or kitchens.	Village doles or other relief.	Total.	
	United Provinces.											
1	Muttra	1,444	763,099	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,564	5,564	5,564
2	Agra	1,853	1,060,546	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,021	1,021	1,021
3	Etawah	1,691	806,798	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,277	2,277	2,277
4	Cawnpore ...	2,366	1,258,868	...	...	...	...	...	...	372	372	372
5	Fatehpur... ...	1,631	686,391	...	...	...	...	...	...	499	499	499
6	Banda	3,061	631,058	...	...	...	...	...	65	17,471	17,536	17,536
7	Hamirpur ...	2,289	458,542	72	...	72	...	72	29	9,330	9,359	9,431
8	Allahabad ...	2,850	1,493,755	...	...	...	...	...	47	5,844	5,891	5,891
9	Jhansi	3,587	616,759	7	...	7	...	7	32	10,005	10,037	10,044
10	Jalaun	1,565	399,726	103	...	103	...	103	...	6,140	6,140	6,243
11	Mirzapur... ...	4,352	706,989	...	...	...	...	...	126	39,467	39,593	39,593
12	Jaunpur	1,550	1,202,920	18	...	18	...	18	...	6,082	6,082	6,100
13	Family Domains ...	473	66,601	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,701	3,701	3,701
14	Basti	2,796	1,846,153	34	...	34	...	34	216	8,753	8,969	9,003
15	Almora	5,416	465,893	1,007	...	1,007	...	1,007	...	1,134	1,134	2,141
16	Lucknow... ...	977	793,241	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,011	2,011	2,011
17	Sitapur	2,250	1,175,473	4,771	237	5,008	...	5,008	148	25,431	25,579	30,587
18	Hardoi	2,325	1,093,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,736	10,736	10,736
19	Kheri	2,963	905,138	926	...	926	...	926	140	92,336	92,476	93,402
20	Fyzabad	1,749	1,204,967	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	12	12
21	Gonda	2,651	1,403,195	157	...	157	...	157	283	74,662	74,945	75,102
22	Bahraich ...	2,316	1,048,856	17,887	11	17,898	...	17,898	500	27,864	28,364	46,262
23	Bara Banki ...	1,757	1,179,323	...	...	...	...	...	33	12,639	12,672	12,672
24	Dehra Dun ...	1,193	178,195	76	...	76	...	76	...	...	...	76
25	Garhwal ...	5,629	429,900	125	...	125	...	125	...	3,113	3,113	3,238
	Total United Provinces	60,734	21,875,386	25,183	248	25,431	...	25,431	1,631	366,452	368,083	393,514
	Bombay.											
1	Panch Mahals ...	1,606	261,020	...	...	...	...	...	...	775	775	775
2	West Khandesh ...	10,041	1,427,382*	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,809	1,809	1,809
3	Nasik	5,850	413,386	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,020	2,020	2,020
4	Poona ...	5,349	995,330	...	...	...	...	...	...	164	164	164
5	Sholapur ...	4,541	720,977	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,489	1,489	1,489
6	Ahmednagar ...	6,586	837,695	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,977	1,977	1,977
7	Bijapur	5,669	735,435	...	...	...	...	...	...	701	701	701
	Total Bombay ...	39,642	5,391,225	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,935	8,935	8,935
	Bengal.											
1	Nadia	2,793	1,667,491	...	...	...	3,084	3,084	...	...	...	3,084
2	Cuttack	3,629	2,062,758	...	...	...	506	506	...	6,433	6,433	6,939
3	Balasore	2,059	1,071,197	...	...	...	117	117	...	6,473	6,473	6,590
4	Puri	2,472	1,017,284	...	...	...	847	847	...	2,742	2,742	3,589
5	Bankura	2,621	1,116,411	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,138	1,138	1,138
6	Ranchi	7,128	1,187,925	8,041	...	8,041	548	8,589	...	6,487	6,487	15,076
7	Hazaribagh ...	7,021	1,177,961	...	...	...	512	512	...	3,595	3,595	4,107
8	Angul	1,681	191,911	...	...	...	1,456	1,456	...	936	936	2,392
9	Jessore	2,925	1,813,155	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,610	3,610	3,610
10	Burdwan	2,689	1,532,475	...	...	...	...	...	...	448	448	448
	Total Bengal ...	35,018	12,838,568	8,041	...	8,041	7,070	15,111	...	31,862	31,862	46,97

* The area and population have been taken for the District as a whole.

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	Central Provinces.											
1	Hoshangabad (portion)	1,250	194,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	487	487	487
2	Damoh (portion) ...	1,070	135,000	403	...	403	...	403	...	1,644	1,644	2,047
3	Nimar (portion) ...	724	86,000	4,426	...	4,426	...	4,426	...	1,184	1,184	5,610
4	Jubbulpore (portion) ..	2,700	372,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,883	10,883	10,883
5	Betul (portion) ...	266	50,000	...	...	...	...	...	102	1,531	1,633	1,633
6	Chhindwara (portion)...	2,874	240,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,599	2,599	2,599
7	Mandla (whole) ...	5,044	367,000	86	...	86	...	86	...	5,941	5,941	6,027
8	Seoni (portion) ...	1,658	184,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,968	1,968	1,968
9	Saugor (portion) ..	241	33,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,974	1,974	1,974
10	Nagpur („)...	18	200,000	10,464	...	10,464	...	10,464	...	323	323	10,787
11	Bhandara („)...	1,706	178,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	105	105	105
12	Balaghat („)...	2,553	315,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	532	532	532
13	Bilaspur („)...	910	116,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,470	1,470	1,470
14	Narsinghpur(„)...	442	63,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,047	1,047	1,047
15	Chanda („)...	7	18,000	214	...	214	...	214	...	...	...	214
	Total Central Provinces	21,463	2,551,000	15,593	...	15,593	...	15,593	102	31,688	31,790	47,383
	Madras.											
1	Ganjam	8,372	2,010,256	...	...	...	...	...	...	214	214	214
2	Bellary taluk ...	962	193,401	...	...	...	894	894	62	...	62	956
	Total ...	9,334	2,203,657	...	...	...	894	894	62	214	276	1,170
	Total British Provinces	166,191	44,859,836	48,817	248	49,065	7,964	57,029	1,795	439,151	440,946	497,975
	Central India States.											
1	Rewa	13,000	1,327,385	1,201	...	1,201	...	1,201	...	983	983	2,184
2	Nagod	501	67,092	}								
3	Jaso	72	7,209	} ...	...	...	...	...	...	250	250	250*
4	Baraunda... ...	217	15,724	}								
5	Kamta	4	1,000									
6	Orchha	2,097	322,000	...	...	...	...	...	40	102	142	142†
7	Alipura ... (Jagir)...	73	15,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	61	61	61
8	Tori Fatehpur („)...	36	7,000	...	...	...	...	...	14	...	14	14
9	Manpur (British) ...	49	5,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	79	79	79
10	Indore	5,120	357,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,271	5,271	5,271
11	Gwalior Residency area	1	1,000	47	...	47	...	47	...	18	18	65
	Total Central India States.	21,170	2,125,410	1,248	...	1,248	...	1,248	54	6,764	6,818	8,066
	Bombay States.											
	Jath	884	61,868	...	...	...	...	...	...	88	88	88
	Total Bombay States...	884	61,868	...	...	...	...	...	...	88	88	88
	Total Native States...	22,054	2,187,278	1,248	...	1,248	...	1,248	54	6,852	6,906	8,154
	Grand Total British Provinces and Native States	188,245	47,047,114	50,065	248	50,313	7,964	58,277	1,849	446,003	447,852	506,129

* Figures for the 8th August have been included as no figures were reported for this or the previous weeks.
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2	Agra ...	1,853	1,060,546	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,021	1,021	1,021
3	Etawah ...	1,691	806,798	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,277	2,277	2,277
4	Cawnpore ...	2,366	1,258,868	...	...	...	...	...	...	372	372	372
5	Fatehpur ...	1,631	686,391	...	...	...	...	...	...	499	499	499
6	Banda ...	3,061	631,058	...	...	...	...	...	65	17,471	17,536	17,536
7	Hamirpur ...	2,289	458,542	72	...	72	...	72	29	9,330	9,359	9,431
8	Allahabad ...	2,850	1,493,755	...	...	...	...	...	47	5,844	5,891	5,891
9	Jhansi ...	3,587	616,759	7	...	7	...	7	32	10,005	10,037	10,044
10	Jalaun ...	1,565	399,726	103	...	103	...	103	...	6,140	6,140	6,243
11	Mirzapur ...	4,352	706,989	...	...	...	...	...	126	39,467	39,593	39,593
12	Jaunpur ...	1,550	1,202,920	18	...	18	...	18	...	6,082	6,082	6,100
13	Family Domains ...	473	66,601	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,701	3,701	3,701
14	Basti ...	2,796	1,846,153	34	...	34	...	34	216	8,753	8,969	9,003
15	Almora ...	5,416	465,893	1,007	...	1,007	...	1,007	...	1,134	1,134	2,141
16	Lucknow ...	977	793,241	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,011	2,011	2,011
17	Sitapur ...	2,250	1,175,473	4,771	237	5,008	...	5,008	148	25,431	25,579	30,587
18	Hardoi ...	2,325	1,093,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,736	10,736	10,736
19	Kheri ...	2,963	905,138	926	...	926	...	926	140	92,336	92,476	93,402
20	Fyzabad ...	1,749	1,204,967	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	12	12
21	Gonda ...	2,651	1,403,195	157	...	157	...	157	283	74,662	74,945	75,102
22	Bahraich ...	2,316	1,048,856	17,887	11	17,898	...	17,898	500	27,864	28,364	46,262
23	Bara Banki ...	1,757	1,179,323	...	...	...	...	...	33	12,639	12,672	12,672
24	Dehra Dun ...	1,193	178,195	76	...	76	...	76	...	...	...	76
25	Garhwal ...	5,629	429,900	125	...	125	...	125	...	3,113	3,113	3,238
	Total United Provinces	60,734	21,875,386	25,183	248	25,431	...	25,431	1,631	366,452	368,083	393,514
	Bombay.											
1	Panch Mahals ...	1,606	261,020	...	...	...	...	...	...	*775	775	775
2	West Khandesh ...	10,041	1,427,382*	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,809	1,809	1,809
3	Nasik ...	5,850	413,386	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,020	2,020	2,020
4	Poona ...	5,349	995,330	...	...	...	...	...	...	164	164	164
5	Sholapur ...	4,541	720,977	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,489	1,489	1,489
6	Ahmednagar ...	6,586	837,695	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,977	1,977	1,977
7	Bijapur ...	5,669	735,435	...	...	...	...	...	...	701	701	701
	Total Bombay ...	39,642	5,391,225	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,935	8,935	8,935
	Bengal.											
1	Nadia ...	2,793	1,667,491	...	...	...	3,084	3,084	...	...	...	3,084
2	Cuttack ...	3,629	2,062,758	...	...	...	506	506	...	6,433	6,433	6,939
3	Balasore ...	2,059	1,071,197	...	...	...	117	117	...	6,473	6,473	6,590
4	Puri ...	2,472	1,017,284	...	...	...	847	847	...	2,742	2,742	3,589
5	Bankura ...	2,621	1,116,411	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,138	1,138	1,138
6	Ranchi ...	7,128	1,187,925	8,041	...	8,041	548	8,589	...	6,487	6,487	15,076
7	Hazaribagh ...	7,021	1,177,961	...	...	...	512	512	...	3,595	3,595	4,107
8	Angul ...	1,681	191,911	...	...	...	1,456	1,456	...	936	936	2,392
9	Jessore ...	2,925	1,813,155	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,610	3,610	3,610
10	Burdwan ...	2,689	1,532,475	...	...	...	...	...	...	448	448	448
	Total Bengal ...	35,018	12,838,568	8,041	...	8,041	7,070	15,111	...	31,862	31,862	46,973

* The area and population have been taken for the District as a whole.

Statement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Districts and Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India—(District details)—continued.

No.	Name of Provinces, Districts and Native States.	Area in Sq. miles.	Population.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 20TH AUGUST 1908.								
				Relief Works.			Number on test works.	Total on works.	Gratuitous Relief.			Grand Total.
				Workers.	Dependants.	Total.			Poor-houses or kitchens.	Village doles or other relief.	Total.	
	Central Provinces.											
1	Hoshangabad (portion)	1,250	194,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	487	487	487
2	Damoh (portion) ...	1,070	135,000	403	...	403	...	403	...	1,644	1,644	2,047
3	Nimar (portion) ...	724	86,000	4,426	...	4,426	...	4,426	...	1,184	1,184	5,610
4	Jubbulpore (portion) ..	2,700	372,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,883	10,883	10,883
5	Betul (portion) ...	266	50,000	...	...	...	...	...	102	1,531	1,633	1,633
6	Chhindwara (portion)...	2,874	240,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,599	2,599	2,599
7	Mandla (whole) ...	5,044	367,000	86	...	86	...	86	...	5,941	5,941	6,027
8	Seoni (portion) ...	1,658	184,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,968	1,968	1,968
9	Saugor (portion)	241	33,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,974	1,974	1,974
10	Nagpur („)...	18	200,000	10,464	...	10,464	...	10,464	...	323	323	10,787
11	Bhandara („)...	1,706	178,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	105	105	105
12	Balaghat („)...	2,553	315,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	532	532	532
13	Bilaspur („)...	910	116,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,470	1,470	1,470
14	Narsinghpur(„)...	442	63,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,047	1,047	1,047
15	Chanda („)...	7	18,000	214	...	214	...	214	...	...	...	214
	Total Central Provinces	21,463	2,551,000	15,593	...	15,593	...	15,593	102	31,688	31,790	47,383
	Madras.											
1	Ganjam	8,372	2,010,256	...	...	...	...	...	...	214	214	214
2	Bellary taluk ...	962	193,401	...	...	...	894	894	62	...	62	956
	Total ...	9,334	2,203,657	...	...	...	894	894	62	214	276	1,170
	Total British Provinces	166,191	44,859,836	48,817	248	49,065	7,964	57,029	1,795	439,151	440,946	497,975
	Central India States.											
1	Rewa	13,000	1,327,385	1,201	...	1,201	...	1,201	...	983	983	2,184
2	Nagod	501	67,092									
3	Jaso	72	7,209	...	...	...	...	...	...	250	250	250*
4	Baraunda... ...	217	15,724									
5	Kamta	4	1,000						40	102	142	142†
6	Orchha	2,097	322,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	61	61	61
7	Alipura ... (Jagir)...	73	15,000	...	...	...	...	...	14	...	14	14
8	Tori Fatehpur („)...	36	7,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	79	79	79
9	Manpur (British) ...	49	5,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,271	5,271	5,271
10	Indore	5,120	357,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	18	65
11	Gwalior Residency area	1	1,000	47	...	47	...	47	...			
	Total Central India States.	21,170	2,125,410	1,248	...	1,248	...	1,248	54	6,764	6,818	8,066
	Bombay States.											
	Jath	884	61,868	...	...	...	...	...	...	88	88	88
	Total Bombay States...	884	61,868	...	...	...	...	...	...	88	88	88
	Total Native States...	22,054	2,187,278	1,248	...	1,248	...	1,248	54	6,852	6,906	8,154
	Grand Total British Provinces and Native States.	188,245	47,047,114	50,065	248	50,313	7,964	58,277	1,849	446,003	447,852	506,129

* Figures for the 8th August have been included as no figures were reported for this or the previous weeks.
† Incomplete.

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PLAGUE.

Simla, the 17th September, 1908.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 12th September 1908, is published for general information :

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind.	Northern.	Bombay City	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P.	23	21
		Dholera Port	B.-G.-J.-P.	.....	...
		Ahmedabad Town	B. B. & C. I.	2(a)	2(a)
		Ahmedabad District	B.-G.-J.-P. & B., B. & C. I.	292	33
		Kaira District	B., B. & C. I.	68	35
		Broach Port	,, ,,	.....	...
		Broach District	,, ,,	.....	...
		Mahi Kantha Agency	,, ,,	11	9
		Palanpur ,,	,, ,,	1(a)	...
		Surat Town and Port	,, ,,	.....	...
		Bulsar Port	,, ,,	.....	...
		Surat District	,, ,,	22	19
		Utan Port	B., B. & C. I. & B.-G.-J.-P.	.....	...
		Vesava ,,	,, ,,	.....	...
		Kelva ,,	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Trombay ,,	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Tarapur ,,	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Manori ,,	,, ,,	.....	...
		Mahim ,,	,, ,,	.....	...
		Dahanu ,,	B., B.	.....	...
		Bhiwndi ,,	G. I. P.	13	9
		Agashi ,,	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Kurla ,,	,,	.....	...
		Bassein ,,	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Kalyan ,,	G. I. P.	12	10
		Thana ,,	,,	7	5
		Bandra ,,	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Umbargaon Port	,, ,,	.....	...
		Thana District	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	13	10
	Central.	Poona City	Madras & S. M. & G. I. P.	53	36
		Poona District	,, ,, ,,	165	108
		Nasik ,,	,, ,, ,,	.....	...
		Satara ,,	Madras & S. M.	28	18
		East Khandesh District	G. I. P.	1(a)	1(a)
		Sholapur Town	,,	2 (a)	1 (a)
		Sholapur District	,, Madras & S. M. & Barsi	15	23

(a) Imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind.	Southern.	Alibag Port	G. I. P.	1	3
		Thal ,,	.....	.....	...
		Panvel ,,	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Mahad ,,	.....	.....	...
		Nagothna Port	.....	.....	...
		Roha ,,	G. I. P. & Madras S. M.	.....	...
		Ashtami ,,	,, ,, ,,	.....	...
		Revdanda ,,	G. I. P. & Madras S. M.	.....	...
		Kolaba District	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	6	2
		Ratnagiri Port	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Vijaydurg ,,	,,	.....	...
		Harnai ,,	,,	.....	...
		Vengurla ,,	,,	.....	...
		Malvan ,,	.....	.....	...
		Jaytapur ,,	.....	.....	...
		Dabhol ,,	.....	.....	...
		Jaygad ,,	.....	.....	...
		Devgad ,,	.....	.....	...
		Ratnagiri District	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Belgaum ,,	,,	174	132
		Hubli Town	,,	2	2
		Dharwar District	,,	92	80
		Karwar Port	,,	.....	...
		Savantvadi State	,,	.....	...
	Sind.	Karachi Town and Port	N. W.	18	17
		Karachi District	,,	.....	...
		Hyderabad Town	,,	.....	...
		Hyderabad District	,, & J. B.	.....	...
		Larkhana ,,	,,	.....	...
		Thar and Parkar District	J. B.	.....	...
		Upper Sind Frontier District	.....	.....	...
		Sukkur District	N. W.	.....	...
		Khairpur State	,, & J. B.	.....	...
	Political Charges.	Akalkot State	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Aundh ,,	G. I. P. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Sholapur Agency	.....	.....	...
		Phaltan State	G. I. P. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Tuna Port	Tuna-Anjar	.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	Political Charges.	Mundra Port	Tuna-Anjar	.....	...
		Bijapur Agency	.....	.....	...
		Cambay Port	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Cambay State	,,	.....	...
		Mandvi Port	Tuna-Anjar	.....	...
		Jakhau Port	,,	.....	...
		Cutch State	,,	35	30
		Savanur ,,	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Bhor ,,	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Mangrol Port	B.-G.-J.-P.	.....	...
		Mahuwa ,,	,,	.....	...
		Jafarabad ,,	,,	.....	...
		Vawania ,,	,, (Morvi Sec.)	.....	...
		Jamnagar Town and Port	,,	6	4
		Verawal Port	,,	2	...
		Bhavnagar Town and Port	,,	.....	...
		Kathiawar Agency	B., B. & C. I., Morvi & B.-G.-J.-P.	245	138
		Kolhapur and Southern Maratha Country.	Madras & S. M.	119	69
		Sachin State	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Dharampur State	,,	.....	...
		Shrivardhan Port	G. I. P. & S. M.	.....	...
		Murud ,,	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Nandgaon ,,	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Rajapuri ,,	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Janjira ,,	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Janjira State	,,	.....	...
		Bet Port	B.-G.-J.-P.	.....	...
		Dwarka Port	,,	.....	...
		Baroda City	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Bilimora Port	,,	.....	...
		Kodinar ,,	B.-G.-J.-P.	18	13
		Baroda State	B., B. & C. I.	256	133
		Satara Agency	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Jath State	,,	.....	...
		Poona Agency	,,	.....	...
		Surat Agency	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Aden	.....	.....	...
			TOTAL	1,702	963

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Madras Presidency.	...	Madras City	Madras & S. M. & S. I.	.....	...
		Anantapur District	,,	1	...
		Salem District	,,	2	1
		Bellary Town	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Bellary Cantonment	,,	.....	...
		Bellary District	,,	3 (*a*)	2 (*a*)
		Malabar District	,,	1	1
		Kurnool ,,	,,	.....	...
		North Arcot District	S. I. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Cuddalore Port	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Mangalore ,,	,,	13	9
		Tinnevelly District	S. I.	.....	...
		Cuddapah ,,	Madras & S. M. & S. I.	.....	...
		Madura ,,	S. I.	.....	...
		Vizagapatam Port	B.-N. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Vizagapatam District	,, ,,	.....	...
		Coimbatore ,,	Madras & S.M., S. I. & Nilgiri	101 (*a*)	72 (*a*)
		Ganjam District	B. N.	.....	...
		South Canara District	S. I. & Madras & S. M.	2 (*b*)	2 (*b*)
		Ootacamund Town		2	1
		Nilgiris District	Madras & S. M.	3	1
		Chingleput ,,	S. I. & Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Godavari ,,	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Cannanore Port	,,	1	1
		Tanjore District	S. I.	.....	...
		Trichinopoly ,,	,,	.....	...
		Cochin State	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		South Arcot District	,,	.....	...
		Nellore District	,,	.....	...
		Bimlipatam Port	,,	.....	...
		Calingapatam ,,	,,	.....	...
		Cocanada ,,	,,	.....	...
		Gopalpur ,,	B. N.	.....	...
		Calicut ,,	Madras & S. M.	.....	...
		Sandur State	,,	.....	...
			TOTAL	129	90
Bengal	Presidency.	Calcutta	E. I., E. B. S. & B. N.	9	1
		Jessore District	,,	.....	...
		Nadia ,,	,,	.....	...
		Murshidabad District	,, & E. I.	.....	...
		Khulna District	,,	.....	...

(*a*) One imported. (*b*) Imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
	Burdwan	Midnapore District	B. N.	.....	...
		Burdwan „	E. I.	.....	...
		Hooghly District	„	.....	...
		Howrah Town	E. I. & B. N.	.....	...
		Howrah District	E. I.	.....	..
		Birbhum „	„	.....	...
		Bankura „	B. N.	.....	...
	Patna	Gaya Town	E. I.	.....	...
		Gaya District	„	4	1
		Muzaffarpur District	B. & N.-W.	.....	...
		Darbhanga District	„	3	2
		Shahabad „	E. I.	.....	...
		Dinapore	„	.....	...
		Patna City	„	.....	...
		Patna District	„	.....	...
BENGAL.	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	E. I.	6	3
		Darjeeling District	D. H.	.....	...
		Bhagalpur Town	E. I.	.....	...
		Bhagalpur District	„ & B. & N.-W.	.....	...
		Purnea „	E. B. S.	.....	...
		Sonthal Parganas District	E. I.	.....	...
	Chota Nagpur.	Palamau District	E. I.	.....	...
		Manbhum District	E. I. & B. N.	.....	...
		Singhbhum District	B. N.	.....	...
		Hazaribagh „	E. I.	.....	...
		Gangpur State	B. N.	.....	..
	Orissa	Cuttack District	B. N.	.....	...
		Sambalpur „	„	.....	...
			TOTAL	22	7

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces.	Meerut	Dehra Dun District	O. & R.	.....	...
		Meerut City	N. W.	.....	...
		Meerut Cantonment	„	.....	...
		Meerut District	„ O. & R. & E. I.	.....	...
		Muzaffarnagar City	„	.....	...
		Muzaffarnagar District	„	.....	...
		Aligarh City	E. I. & O. R.	.....	...
		Koil City	„	.....	...
		Hathras City	B., B. & C. I. & E. I.	.....	...
		Aligarh District	E. I. & O. & R.	.....	...
		Saharanpur City	O. & R. & N. W.	.....	...
		Hardwar Union	„	.....	...
		Roorkee Town	„	.....	...
		Saharanpur District	„ & N. W.	.....	...
		Bulandshahr „	E. I.	.....	...
	Agra	Etawah City	E. I.	.....	...
		Etawah District	„	.....	...
		Fatehgarh	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Furrukhabad Town	„ „ & E. I.	.....	...
		Furrukhabad District	„ „ „	1(a)	1(a)
		Mainpuri District	E. I.	.....	...
		Agra City	B., B. & C. I., G. I. P. & E. I.	.....	...
		Agra District	„ „ „ „	.....	...
		Etah „	„	.....	...
		Muttra City	„ & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Muttra District	„ „	.....	...
	Rohilkhand.	Bareilly City	R. & K. & O. & R.	.....	...
		Bareilly District	„ „	.....	...
		Shahjahanpur City	„ „	.....	...
		Shahjahanpur District	„ „	.....	...
		Budaun District	O. & R. & B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Bijnor Town	„	.....	...
		Bijnor District	„	.....	...
		Moradabad City	„ & R. K.	.....	...
		Moradabad District	„ „	.....	...
		Pilibhit District	R. K.	.....	...

(a) Of previous week.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces.	Allahabad.	Allahabad City	E. I. & O. & R.	.....	...
		Allahabad District	„ „	.....	...
		Cawnpur City	„ „ B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.)	.....	...
		Cawnpur District	„ „ „ „	.....	...
		Fatehpur „	E. I.	.....	...
		Banda „	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.) & E. I.	.....	...
		Jhansi City	„ („)	.....	...
		Jhansi District	„ („)	.....	...
		Hamirpur „	„ („)	.....	...
		Jalaun „	„ („)	.....	...
	Benares.	Benares Cantonment	B. & N. W. & O. & R.	.....	...
		Benares City	„ „ „	.....	...
		Benares District	„ „ „ & E. I.	.....	...
		Ballia „	„	2	1
		Jaunpur City	O. & R.	.....	...
		Jaunpur District	„ & B. & N. W.	1	...
		Ghazipur „	E. I. & B. & N W.	.....	...
		Mirzapur City	„	.....	...
		Mirzapur District	„ & O. & R.	.....	...
	Gorakhpur.	Azamgarh City	E. I.	.....	...
		Azamgarh District	„	.....	...
		Gorakhpur City	B. & N. W.	.....	...
		Gorakhpur District	„	.....	2
		Basti District	„	.....	...
	Kumaun	Naini Tal District	O. & R.	.....	...
		Garhwal „	„	.....	...
	Lucknow.	Unao District	O. & R. & B. & N. W.	.....	...
		Lucknow City	„ „ & R. K.	.....	...
		Lucknow District	„ „	.....	...
		Hardoi „	„	.....	...
		Rae Bareli „	„	.....	...
		Sitapu	R. K.	.....	...
		Kheri „	„	.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces.	Fyzabad.	Bahraich District	B. & N. W.	.....	...
		Gonda „	„	.....	...
		Partabgarh „	O. & R.	.....	...
		Sultanpur „	„	.....	...
		Ajodhya	„ & B. & N. W.	.....	...
		Fyzabad City	„	.....	...
		Fyzabad District	„	.....	...
		Bara Banki Town	B. & N. W. & O. & R.	.....	...
		Bara Banki District	„ „	.....	...
			TOTAL	4	4
	Delhi	Gurgaon District	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Hissar „	„ & N. W.	.....	...
		Karnal „	E. I.	.....	...
		Simla „	K. S.	.....	...
		Delhi District	E. I., N. W., O. & R., G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Ambala „	N. W. & E. I.	.....	...
		Ludhiana „	„	34	31
		Rohtak „	„	.....	...
Punjab.	Jullundur	Jullundur City	N. W.	.....	...
		Jullundur District	„	.....	...
		Hoshiarpur „	„	.....	...
		Ferozepur „	„	.....	...
		Kangra „	„	.....	...
	Lahore.	Amritsar City	N. W.	.....	...
		Amritsar District	„	.....	...
		Gurdaspur „	„	.....	...
		Lahore City	„	.....	...
		Lahore District	„	.....	...
		Gujranwala District	„	.....	...
		Montgomery City	„	.....	...
		Montgomery District	„	.....	...
		Sialkot „	„	.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
	Rawalpindi.	Rawalpindi District	N. W.	.....	...
		Gujrat „	„	.....	...
		Shahpur „	„	.....	...
		Jhelum „	„	.....	...
		Attock „	„	.....	...
	Multan	Mianwali District	N. W.	.....	...
		Lyallpur „	„	.....	...
PUNJAB		Jhang „	„	.....	...
		Muzaffargarh „	„	.....	...
		Multan „	„	.....	...
	...	Patiala City	Rajpura-Bhatinda (N. W. Ry.)	.....	...
		Patiala State	N.W., E.I., B., B. & C. I & J. B.	.....	...
		Maler Kotla State	„	.....	...
...		Jind „	„	.....	...
		Nalagarh „	„	.....	...
		Nabha „	„	.....	...
		Bahawalpur „	„	.....	...
			TOTAL	34	31
	Pegu	Rangoon Town	Burma	14	12
		Hanthawaddy District	„	.....	...
		Pegu „	„	8	8
		Tharrawaddy „	„	3	3
		Prome „	„	.....	...
BURMA	Irrawaddy	Maubin District	Burma	2	2
		Bassein „	„	...	1
		Henzada „	„	9	9
		Pyapon „	„	2	2
		Myaungmya „	„	.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BURMA .	Tenasserim	Toungoo District	Burma	.....	...
		Thaton „	„	.....	...
		Moulmein Town	„	3	3
		Amherst (Moulmein) District	„	.....	...
		Tavoy District	„	.....	...
	Magwe	Thayetmyo District	Burma	.....	...
		Pakokku „	„	.....	...
		Minbu „	„	.....	...
		Magwe „	„	.....	...
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town	Burma	3	3
		Maymyo Town	„	.....	...
		Mandalay District	„	.....	1
		Myitkyina „	„	.....	...
		Bhamo „	„	.....	...
	Sagaing	Shwebo District	Burma	.....	...
		Lower Chindwin (Monywa) District	„	.....	...
		Sagaing District	„	.....	...
	Meiktila	Myingyan District	Burma	.....	...
		Yamethin „	„	2	2
		Kyaukse „	„	.....	...
		Meiktila „	„	2	...
		Northern Shan States		3	3
			TOTAL	51	49
EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM.	Rajshahi	Pabna District	E. B. S.	.....	...
		Malda „	„	.....	...
	Assam Valley Districts	Goalpara „	„	.....	...
	Dacca	Dacca Town	„	.....	...
		Dacca District	„	.....	...
		Faridpur District	„	.....	...
		Manipur State		.....	...
			TOTAL	.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL PROVINCES (INCLUDING BERAR).	Nagpur	Nagpur City	B. N. & G. I. P.	2 (a)	3 (a)
		Kamptee Cantonment	B. N.	.....	...
		Kamptee Town	„	.....	...
		Nagpur District	B. N. & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Wardha Town	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Wardha District	„	1 (a)	...
		Chanda Town	„	.....	...
		Chanda District	„	.....	...
		Bhandara Town	B. N.	.....	...
		Bhandara District	„	.....	...
		Balaghat Town	„	.....	...
		Balaghat District	„	.....	...
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore Town	E. I. & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Jubbulpore Cantonment	„ „	.....	...
		Jubbulpore District	„ „	.....	...
		Damoh Town	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.)	.....	...
		Damoh District	„ („)	.....	...
		Saugor Cantonment	„ („)	.....	...
		Saugor Town	„ („)	.....	...
		Saugor District	„ („)	.....	...
		Chappara Town	„ („)	.....	...
		Seoni Town	B. N.	.....	...
		Seoni District	„	.....	...
		Mandla „	„	.....	...
	Nerbudda	Khandwa Town	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Burhanpur „	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Nimar District	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Pachmari	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Hoshangabad Town	„	.....	...
		Hoshangabad District	„	.....	...
		Narsingpur Town	„	.....	...
		Narsingpur District	„	.....	...
		Betul „	„	87 (b)	78 (c)
		Chhindwara Town	„	.....	...
		Chhindwara District	B. N.	.....	...
	Chhattisgarh.	Drug Town	B. N.	.....	...
		Drug District	„	.....	...
		Bilaspur Town	„	.....	...
		Bilaspur District	„	.....	...
		Raipur Town	„	.....	...
		Raipur District	„	.....	...

(a) Imported. (b) Nine imported. (c) Five imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Central Provinces (including Berar).	Berar	Akola Town	G. I. P.	4 (a)	1 (a)
		Akola District	"	.....	...
		Buldana Town	"	.....	...
		Buldana District	"	76	46
		Yeotmal Town	"	.....	...
		Yeotmal District	"	.....	...
		Ellichpur City	"	.....	...
		Amraoti Town	"	76 (b)	74 (b)
		Amraoti District	"	.....	...
			Total	246	202
Mysore State.	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	Madras & S. M.	23	18
		Bangalore City	"	1	...
		Bangalore District	"	24	27
		Mysore City	"	6	2
		Mysore District	"	21	18
		Kadur "	"	35	28
		Hassan "	"	14	8
		Kolar "	"	26	14
		Kolar Gold Fields	"	.....	...
		Tumkur District	"	10	10
		Shimoga "	"	42	23
		Chitaldroog "	"	.....	...
			Total	202	148
Hyderabad State.	...	Usmanabad District	G. I. P. & Barsi	5	1
		Raichur "	G. I. P. & Madras & S. M.	69 (c)	68 (c)
		Gulburga "	G. I. P. & N. G. S.	(a) 1	(a) 1
			Total	75	70

(a) Imported. (b) One imported. (c) Figures for the period from 1st to 7th September 1908.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
		Indore City	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Indore State	,, & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Indore Residency	,,	.....	...
		Ujjain City	,, & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Gwalior ,,	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Gwalior State (portion in Bhopal)	B., B. & C. I. & G. I. P.	.....	...
		Dhar State	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.) & Gwalior	.....	...
		Pathari ,,	,, (,,)	.....	...
		Malwa Agency	Rajputana-Malwa	.....	...
		Sundersi Pergana (in the Bhopal Agency)		.....	...
		Nagode State		.....	...
		Bhopal City	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Bhopal State	,,	.....	...
		Shahjahanpur Town		.....	...
		Guaranteed Holdings in Bhopal Agency	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Maksudangarh State	G. I. P. (I. M. Sec.)	.....	...
		Mhow Cantonment	B., B. & C. I. (Rajputana Malwa)	.....	...
		Neemuch ,,	,,	.....	...
		Orchha State	,,	.....	...
		Rutlam City	,,	.....	...
		Rutlam State	,,	18 (a)	6 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Dewas Town	,,	.....	...
		Dewas State	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Narsingharh State	,,	.....	...
		Guaranteed Holdings in Malwa Agency		.....	...
		Tonk State (portion in Central India)	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Baghelkhand Agency States	E. I. & B. N.	.....	...
		Rewa Town		.....	...
		Rewa State	E. I.	.....	...
		Sehore Cantonment	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Sehore State	,,	.....	...
		Datia City	,,	.....	...
		Datia State	,,	.....	...
		Sailana Town	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Sailana State	,,	10 (a)	9 (a)
		Sitamau ,,	,,	.....	...
		Piploda	,,	10 (a)	2 (a)
		Bagli ,,	,,	.....	...
		Jhabua ,,	,,	.....	...
		Jaora Town	,,	.....	...
		Jaora State	,,	.....	...

(a) Figures for the week ending 5th September 1908.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Agar Military Station	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Manpur	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Rajgarh State	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Kurwai „	„	.....	...
		Barwani State	„ & B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
			TOTAL	38	17
RAJPUTANA AND AJMER-MERWARA.	...	Bharatpur State	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Mewar State	„	.....	...
		Partabgarh State	„	.....	...
		Chitor (Udaipur) State	„	.....	...
		Tonk State	„	.....	...
		Marwar State (Jodhpur)	J. B.	.....	...
		Jaipur City	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Jaipur State	„	.....	...
		Kishangarh Town	„	.....	...
		Bikaner State	J. B.	.....	...
		Jhalawar „	G. I. P. & B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Kotah „	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Sirohi „	„	.....	...
		Shahpura „	G. I. P.	.....	...
		Dholpur „	„	.....	...
		Alwar City	B., B. & C. I.	.....	...
		Alwar State	„	.....	...
		Beawar	„	.....	...
		Karauli State	„	.....	...
		Banswara Town	„	.....	...
		Banswara State	„	.....	...
		Ajmer City	„	.....	...
		Ajmer District	„	.....	...
		Deoli	„	.....	...
		Abu Road	„	.....	...
		Ajmer-Merwara District	„	.....	...
			TOTAL	.....	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu City	N. W.	.....	...
		Jammu District	„	.....	...
		Mirpur „	„	.....	...
		Kathua „	„	.....	...
			TOTAL	.....	...
				.....	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Traversed by what railways.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	Abbottabad Town	N. W.	.....	...
		Hazara District	"	.....	...
		Bannu "	"	.....	...
		Kohat Cantonment	N. W.	.....	...
		Kohat Town	"	.....	...
		Kohat District	"	.....	...
		Dera Ismail Khan Town	"	.....	...
		Dera Ismail Khan Cantonment	"	.....	...
		Dera Ismail Khan District	"	.....	...
		Peshawar Town	"	.....	...
		Peshawar Cantonment	"	.....	...
		Nowshera "	"	.....	...
		Peshawar District	"	...	...
		Khyber Agency		.....	...
			TOTAL		
BALUCHISTAN.	...	Sonmiani	N. W.	.....	...
		Hirok	"	.....	...
		Sibi	"	.....	...
		Fort Sandeman	"	.....	...
		Las Bela State	"	.....	...
			TOTAL	.....	...
			GRAND TOTAL	2,503	1,581

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Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

RAILWAY BOARD.

STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column *Total earnings*, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

Railways.	Average earnings per mile per week.		Results of working during 2nd-half of year.										Results of working for official year.			
			Mean mileage worked.		Total earnings for week ending		Earnings per mile open for week		Total earnings from 1st July to		Increase.	Decrease.	Total earnings from 1st April to		Increase.	Decrease.
	During 2nd-half of 1907.	During official year 1907-08.	1907.	1908.	7th September 1907.	5th September 1908.	1907.	1908.	7th September 1907.	5th September 1908.			7th September 1907.	5th September 1908.		
	₹	₹	*Miles.*	*Miles.*	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹	₹
State and Guaranteed Railways.																
5′ 6″ gauge. Bengal-Nagpur (including 2′ 6″ gauge lines)	244	264	2,038	2,123	4,07,316	3,76,000	200	177	45,79,987	38,33,000	...	7,46,987	1,22,54,218	1,07,48,000	...	15,06,218
Bezwada extension	267	288	21	21	5,068	6,100	241	250	44,677	61,500	16,823	...	1,27,545	1,62,000	34,455	...
Bombay, Baroda and Central India (incldg. V.-Wadhwan Section 3′ 3½″ gauge)	688	790	504	504	2,93,479	2,64,009	582	524	29,43,186	26,54,000	...	2,89,186	93,27,529	87,35,000	...	5,92,529
Nagda-Muttra	29	37	101	139	2,216	2,800	22	20	(*a*) 19,058	34,800	15,742	...	(*a*)19,058	1,16,000	96,942	...
Eastern Bengal (incldg. 3′ 3½″ and 2′ 6″ gauge lines)	442	399	1,268	1,274	6,37,908	6,12,000	503	480	48,48,229	45,68,000	...	2,80,229	1,01,94,952	1,03,05,000	1,10,048	...
East Indian	635	681	2,321	2,328	13,88,012	14,83,000	598	627	1,43,15,262	1,45,24,000	2,08,738	...	3,55,48,637	3,51,75,000	...	3,73,637
Great Indian Peninsula	551	626	1,569	1,666	6,51,145	5,48,000	415	341	65,26,742	57,98,000	...	7,28,742	2,10,50,164	1,75,33,000	...	35,17,164
Agra-Delhi Chord	230	233	126	126	24,677	27,100	196	215	2,53,124	2,45,000	...	8,124	6,29,795	6,64,000	34,205	...
Baran Kotah (*b*)	...	...	...	13	...	50	...	4	...	1,000	1,000	...	...	1,000	1,000	...
Indian Midland (incldg. Bhopal-Itarsi)	226	257	914	914	1,69,475	1,26,000	185	138	19,59,997	15,02,000	...	4,48,997	55,96,622	44,66,000	...	11,90,622
Madras and Southern Mahratta (including 3′ 3½″ gauge lines)	207	220	2,883	2,838	5,71,474	4,93,000	198	174	58,01,904	50,99,000	...	7,02,904	1,51,91,638	1,38,01,000	...	13,93,638
North-Western (including 2′ 6″ gauge lines)	387	371	3,614	3,614	14,10,095	11,06,000	390	306	1,53,14,346	96,05,000	...	57,09,346	3,29,25,380	2,41,57,000	...	87,68,380
Oudh and Rohilkhand (incldg. C.-Burhwal 3′ 3½″ link)	261	269	1,298	1,298	3,08,874	2,52,000	238	194	32,34,375	25,43,000	...	6,91,375	79,37,802	70,21,000	...	9,16,802
Hardwar-Dehra	230	235	32	32	6,114	4,800	191	156	65,950	55,500	...	10,450	1,72,463	1,68,000	...	4,463
3′ 3½″ gauge. Assam-Bengal	127	121	771	771	92,591	80,000	120	104	8,70,423	7,46,000	...	1,24,423	19,76,950	18,47,000	...	1,29,950
Bezwada-Masulipatam (*c*)	...	...	...	40	...	4,800	...	98	...	48,000	48,000	...	...	1,41,000	1,41,000	...
Burma	203	240	1,401	1,475	2,33,100	2,65,000	166	180	22,26,211	24,04,000	2,67,789	...	65,19,460	73,33,000	8,13,540	...
Jodhpur-Hyderabad (British Section)	121	128	124	124	15,930	11,200	128	90	1,32,398	1,05,000	...	27,398	3,49,184	3,05,000	...	44,184
Lucknow-Bareilly	137	148	200	200	26,076	17,400	133	87	2,40,987	2,16,000	...	24,987	7,05,951	6,58,000	...	47,951
Palanpur-Deesa	44	50	17	17	560	600	33	35	5,826	4,600	...	1,226	18,381	20,200	1,819	...
Rajputana-Malwa (including Godhra-Rutlam-Nagda 5′ 0″ gauge)	267	282	1,909	1,914	4,68,402	3,18,000	245	166	50,36,119	33,34,000	...	17,02,119	1,28,12,804	98,62,000	...	29,50,804
South Indian (including 5′ 6″ and 2′ 6″ gauge lines)	217	235	1,330	1,375	2,91,183	3,62,000	219	263	28,36,423	34,01,000	5,64,577	...	68,74,020	85,03,000	16,28,980	...
Tanjore District Board	112	121	103	103	11,915	12,700	116	123	1,12,154	1,21,000	8,846	...	2,09,060	3,11,000	1,940	...
Travancore Branch	115	110	108	108	10,472	13,000	97	120	1,05,116	1,14,000	8,884	...	2,63,307	2,73,000	9,693	...
Tirhoot State	197	212	690	774	78,461	1,00,000	114	129	10,62,216	12,04,000	1,41,784	...	31,80,695	35,59,000	3,78,305	...
2′ 0″ gauge. Jorhat	57	59	32	30	1,877	1,700	59	57	18,548	17,400	...	1,148	42,164	40,000	...	2,164
Total	330	347	23,374	23,770	71,07,014	64,87,250	304	273	7,25,44,258	6,23,28,800	...	1,02,15,458	18,40,20,779	16,58,44,200	...	1,81,76,579

	All other Railways.																
5' 6" gauge.	Amritsar-Patti	129	113	28	28	4,078	3,800	146	136	1,44,929	1,00,000	...	44,929	3,93,134	3,13,000	...	80,134
	Bhopal-Ujjain	113	129	114	114	8,585	7,700	75	68	1,08,180	46,500	...	61,680	2,76,096	2,01,000	...	75,096
	Bina-Goona-Baran	65	73	148	148	9,969	4,800	67	32	3,64,348	3,34,000	...	30,348	9,26,245	9,10,003	...	16,245
	Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	261	258	162	162	36,130	33,000	223	204	12,381	14,900	2,519	...	31,548	38,800	7,252	...
	Jammu-Kashmir (Native State Section)	97	97	16	16	1,093	1,300	68	81								
	Kolar Gold-fields	405	383	10	10	2,643	2,900	264	290	39,800	28,200	...	11,609	91,003	74,900	...	16,103
	Ludhiana-Dhuri-Jakhal	156	154	79	79	11,403	11,300	144	143	1,16,987	1,17,000	13	...	2,87,566	2,82,000	...	5,566
	Nagda-Ujjain	91	109	34	34	3,214	1,300	95	38	34,309	20,900	...	13,409	99,759	77,000	...	22,759
	Nizam's Guaranteed State	277	289	334	334	83,850	56,200	251	168	7,55,771	6,65,000	...	90,771	20,62,107	19,73,000	...	89,107
	Petlad-Cambay	105	123	34	34	3,175	2,900	93	85	31,882	29,100	...	2,782	99,835	1,05,000	5,165	...
	Rajpura-Bhatinda	298	274	107	107	32,187	22,200	301	207	2,62,388	2,33,000	...	29,388	5,96,077	5,65,000	...	31,077
	Southern Punjab	249	229	425	425	88,265	64,500	208	152	8,97,532	6,60,000	...	2,97,532	19,38,541	14,77,000	...	4,61,541
	" "Ludhiana" extension	122	112	155	155	18,863	14,300	122	92	1 93,743	1,48,000	...	45 743	4,02,552	3,53,000	...	49,552
	Tapti Valley	89	124	155	155	10,135	7,100	65	46	1,06,142	75,400	...	30.742	4,46,883	3,43,000	...	1,03,883
	Tarkessur	261	323	22	22	4,965	5,700	226	259	58,513	53,000	...	5,513	1,64,321	1,54,000	...	10,321
3' 3½" gauge.	Ahmedabad-Dholka	60	68	34	34	1,813	1,300	53	38	19,495	15,100	...	4,395	54,911	56,200	1,289	...
	Ahmedabad Parantij	83	95	55	55	3,409	3,700	62	67	39,143	33,000	...	6,143	1,16,172	1,26,000	9,828	...
	Bengal and North-Western	142	163	1,015	1,017	95,628	90,000	94	97	13,96,410	12,20,000	...	1,76,410	41,13,626	34,55,000	...	6,58,626
	Bengal Dooars	139	130	153	153	23,765	23,600	155	154	1,89,117	1,95,000	5,883	...	4,26,174	4,26,000	...	174
	Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar	100	118	455	459	38,640	36,900	85	80	3,71,730	3,53,000	...	18,730	12,09,517	12,71,000	61,483	...
	Birur-Shimoga	60	73	38	38	1,787	2,700	47	71	24,264	25,700	1,436	...	66 997	64,200	...	2,797
	Dibru-Sadiya	260	257	78	78	21,864	20,800	280	267	1,95,288	1,88,000	...	7,288	4,54,010	4,53,000	...	1,010
	Gaekwar's Mehsana (including Vijapur-Kalol-Kadi)	69	78	134	134	6,654	7,000	50	52	77,815	76,000	...	1,815	2,51,000	2,55,000	4,000	...
	Hindupur	118	126	51	51	5,911	4,900	116	96	56,022	48,400	...	7,622	1,56,866	1,24,000	...	32,866
	Hyderabad-Godavari Valley	118	160	392	392	35,169	38,500	90	98	3,43,703	3,96,000	52,297	...	13,63,835	13,27,000	...	36,835
	Jaipur	48	42	32	73	1,229	1,000	38	14	10,146	13,400	3,254	...	27,493	44,400	16,907	...
	Jodhpur-Bikaner	72	80	709	709	46,710	25,000	66	35	4,80,589	3,62,000	...	1,20,589	13,53,325	11,60,000	...	1,93,325
	Kolhapur	99	130	29	29	3,139	3,200	108	110	30,032	34,900	4,868	...	87 404	99,600	12,196	...
	Morvi (including Vankaner-Morvi 2' 6" gauge)	86	92	95	93	6,853	9,200	72	99	70,216	84,200	14,584	...	1,86,542	2,42,000	55,458	...
	Mymensingh-Jamalpur-Jagannathganj	126	121	51	54	8,029	7,000	157	130	57,500	58,500	1,000	...	1,30,145	1,44,000	13,855	...
	Mysore-Nanjangud	46	52	16	16	614	1,000	38	62	6,240	9,900	3,660	...	17,050	24,500	7,450	...
	Rohilkund and Kumaon	151	147	130	214	22,426	20,600	173	96	2,15,801	2,05,000	...	10,801	5,48,810	5,76,000	27,190	...
	Sangli	80	112	5	5	467	300	93	60	3,883	5,400	1,517	...	13,065	15,400	2,335	...
	Shoranur-Cochin	118	126	65	65	8,152	6,100	125	94	63,570	63,700	...	370	1,79,061	1,70,000	...	9,061
	Udaipur-Chitor	61	70	67	67	4,385	4,000	65	60	44,184	30,500	...	13,684	1,18,853	1,09,000	...	9,853
2' 6" gauge.	Barsi	116	125	78	78	5,331	5,100	68	65	1,10,974	73,000	...	37,974	2,63,175	1,97,000	...	66,175
	Cooch-Behar	105	102	34	34	3,389	3,100	100	91	28,944	30,100	1,156	...	68,450	80,300	11,850	...
	Gaekwar's Dabhoi	73	96	94	94	4,859	5,100	52	54	54,653	48,500	...	6,153	2,15,334	2,12,000	...	3,334
	Rajpipla	32	43	37	37	1,188	1,100	32	30	11,025	8,700	...	2,325	38,564	33,400	...	5,164
2' 0" gauge.	Darjeeling-Himalayan	355	350	51	51	15,451	16,000	303	314	1,55,351	1,47,000	...	8,351	4,26,192	4,34,000	7,808	...
	TOTAL	140	150	5,721	5,853	6,85,417	5,85,200	120	100	72,24,594	62,25,900	...	9,98,694	1,97,82,528	1,80,44,500	...	17,38,028
	GRAND TOTAL	293	308	29,095	29,623	77,92,431	70,72,450	268	239	7,97,68,852	6,85,54,700	...	1,12,14,152	20,38,03,307	18,38,88,700	...	1,99,14,607

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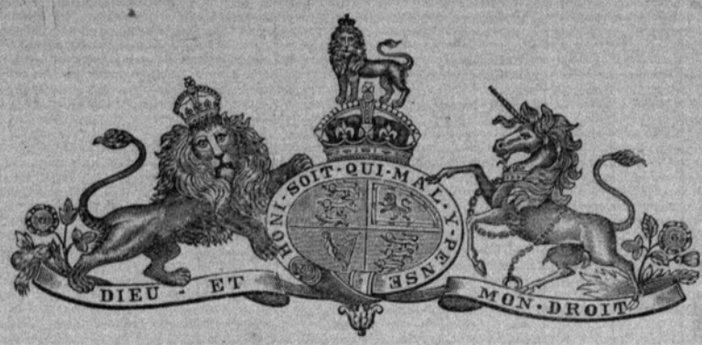

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES IN THE SECOND HALF OF AUGUST 1908 OF:

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BARLEY
JAWAR
BAJRA
RAGI
KANGNI

MAIZE
GRAM AND PULSE
LINSEED
MUSTARD AND RAPESEED
SESAMUM (*Til* or *jinjili*)
GHI
SUGAR, RAW

SALT
TOBACCO
TURMERIC
GRASS AND STRAW
JAWAR STALKS
SHEEP AND BULLOCKS

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WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF AUGUST

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar	
	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907
Burma*—												
Tenasserim—												
Mergui	...	...	47·41	46·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	34·59	36·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	41·03	39·02	55·65	55·65	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Rangoon	...	...	32·99	25	57·14	28·57	...	...	...	...	35·16	...
Maubin	...	...	45·07	36·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	47·06	45·71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Henzada	...	...	44·14	38·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay	...	...	45·07	38·79	55·65	50·79	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	45·07	38·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—												
Akyab	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern Bengal and Assam*—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong	...	...	45	43·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	50	56·25	50	47·5	...	...	25	30	...	...
Central—												
Pabna	...	...	45·62	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Rangpur	...	...	65	65	45	46·25	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—												
Goálpára	30	30	55	51·87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	28·75	27·5	43·12	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal*—												
Deltaic—												
Midnapur	...	...	58·75	50·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	...	...	61·25	60	51·25	41·25	...	...	37·5	30	...	...
Central—												
Bardwan	...	...	58·12	56·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orissa—												
Cuttack	...	...	53·12	40	50·78	32·81	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihár, south—												
Patna	...	...	58·75	47·5	47·5	36·87	...	...	32·5	27·5	...	30
Bihár, north—												
Bhágalpur	...	...	60·62	50·62	48·12	39·69	...	...	37·5	30	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	66·56	46·56	50	36·25	...	...	36·25	28·59	...	...
United Provinces—												
(a) Agra—												
Eastern—												
Benares	33·33	28·23	54·27	52·4	45·83	39·01	54·27	45·83	32·6	29·74	...	...
Central—												
Cawnpore	36·25	27·6	50	48·49	43·23	36·35	48·49	40	27·55	26·67	35·52	27·6
Jhánsi	...	...	66·72	61·56	47·03	35·16	...	...	32·66	22·81	39·06	25·62
Western—												
Meerut	...	...	57·19	55	41·72	37·19	48·44	42·03	28·28	24·22	30·78	26·72
Agra	50	30·21	80	76·2	45·73	36·35	55·36	43·23	29·63	25·42	38·07	27·13
Submontane, west—												
Shahjahánpur	...	25	...	...	43·28	32·5	...	...	29·69	25	...	30
(b) Oudh—												
Southern—												
Lucknow	38·59	...	53·23	55	44·53	35·73	53·33	44·79	31·98	28·59	36·25	29·63
Northern—												
Fyzabad	30	32·03	72·5	59·37	45·31	36·98	...	...	32·03	27·5	...	30·78

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Bajra		Ragi		Maize		Gram		Arhar dál		Linseed		Districts
1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	
												Burma—
												Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	...	40·76	40·76	50	50	...	...	Moulmein and Amherst
												Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	47·76	22·86	43·84	28·07	...	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Manbin
...	...	...	...	...	...	56·64	40·76	...	...	...	...	Bassein
												Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	53·78	42·11	46·72	46·72	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
												Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	24·52	...	45·71	31·84	60·95	54·24	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	28·96	35·36	...	...	...	...	Pakókku
												Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	62·75	46·38	72·73	66·67	...	...	Akyab
												Eastern Bengal and Assam—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	57·5	42·5	65	55	...	...	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	50	37·5	60	45	...	...	Dacca
												Central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	45	37·5	...	...	51·25	45	Pábna
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	47·5	55	48·75	57·5	...	...	Rangpur
												Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gauhati
												Bengal—
												Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	47·5 to 50	33·75 to 37·5	60	52·5	...	47·5	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	45	...	45	30	55	50	55	52·5	Calcutta
												Central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	48·75	32·5	56·56	46·87	...	...	Bardwan
												Orissa—
...	...	...	...	...	...	42·08	32·81	38·07	30·47	...	...	Cuttack
												Bihár, south—
..	...	...	...	39·37	30	41·25	30	48·12	37·5	58·75	52·5	Patna
												Bihár, north—
...	...	...	...	39·37	30	45	31·72	55·16	48·75	56·87	50·62	Bhágalpur
...	...	...	...	40	29·53	44·37	30·78	57·19	44·37	...	...	Muzaffarpur
												United Provinces—
												(a) Agra—
												Eastern—
...	31·15	...	...	...	...	43·12	29·01	56·87	45·83	56·87	50·57	Benares
												Central—
32·66	27·6	...	...	...	...	40	26·67	44·43	34·79	53·33	48·49	Cawnpore
...	25·47	...	...	...	...	43·28	26·09	...	...	...	...	Jhánsi
												Western—
...	26·72	...	...	...	26·72	36·41	26·72	53·28	38·12	...	...	Meerut
44·43	23·91	...	...	...	...	42·08	28·23	55·36	43·23	66·67	66·67	Agra
												Submontane, west—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	...	...	...	...	Shahjahánpur
												(b) Oudh—
												Southern—
36·25	29·63	...	...	36·25	31·87	42·08	28·59	...	...	53·33	47·03	Lucknow
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	44·37	28·59	...	...	...	...	Fyzabad

WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF AUGUST—*continued*

Districts	Mustard and rapeseed		Sesamum (*Til* or *jinjili*)		Ghi		Sugar, raw (*Gur*)		Salt		Tobacco leaf	
	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907
Burma—												
Tenasserim—												
Mergui	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21·92	17·53	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20·51	20·51	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18·77	18·77	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Rangoon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18·6	18·6	...	...
Manbin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22·54	22·46	...	...
Bassein	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22·61	22·61	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Henzada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28·19	24·81	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24·62	24·62	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	22·54	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22·61	22·61	...	...
Arakan—												
Akyab	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28·57	25	...	...
Eastern Bengal and Assam—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong	70	70	...	...	410	490	55	65	16·87	17·5	50	40
Dacca	...	...	...	...	420	495	65	60	20	20	100	60
Central—												
Pabna	66·25	67·5	...	...	650	600	45	50	20	20	115	82·5
Northern—												
Rangpur	65	65	...	...	455	460	60	55	17·5	27·5	80	52·5
Brahmaputra—												
Goálpára	60	57·5	...	...	...	...	65	70	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	61·25	61·25	...	...	...	...	60	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
Deltaic—												
Midnapur	65 and 70	58·75 and 65	...	...	370 to 400	450 to 475	70	47·5 to 50	17·5	17·5	125 and 140	85 and 96·25
Calcutta	67·5	60	65	60	430	480	57·5	47·5	19·37	16·25	82·5	80
Central—												
Bardwan	70	73·12	...	...	400	500	61·87	51·25	17·5	18·44	...	...
Orissa—												
Cuttack	68·12	62·5	65	60	475·62	419·06	52·34	38·12	14·37	14·37	62·5	60
Bihár, south—												
Patna	70	60	70	70	360 to 380	410	60	40	20	20	20 to 40	23·75
Bihár, north—												
Bhágalpur	61·87 and 65	62·5 and 65	...	...	430	471·25	45	42·5	19·06	19·06	100	80
Muzaffarpur	...	...	...	...	355·62	426·25	50	33·28	20	20·94	160	160
United Provinces—												
(a) Agra—												
Eastern—												
Benares	58·7	56·41	73·33	66·72	411·67	442·34	55·88	48·91	...	...	...	...
Central—												
Cawnpore	57·13	59·27	80	...	355·52	457·13	57·13	48·49	...	...	80	80
Jhánsi	...	...	...	...	320	387·81	66·56	59·22	...	...	...	...
Western—												
Meerut	...	...	...	...	320	501·25	...	...	...	...		
Agra	72·71	59·27	...	...	312·19	441·35	64·01	59·27	...	...	130	100
Submontane, west—												
Shahjahánpur	...	...	...	...	350	480	...	...	...	...		...
(b) Oudh—												
Southern—												60
Lucknow	66·25	61·51	...	...	360	455	55	57·5	...	...	...	
Northern—												
Fyzabad	...	...	...	...	390	430	45	50	...	...	...	...

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Turmeric		Grass		Straw		Jawar stalks		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Districts
1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	
												Burma—
												Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moulmein and Amherst
												Pegu (deltaic)—
...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bassein
												Pegu (inland)—
...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
												Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakôkku
												Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
												Eastern Bengal and Assam—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dacca
												Central—
...	...	...	...	7·5	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pabna
												Northern—
...	..	3·75	2·5	10	8·75	...	...	...	..	...	...	Rangpur
												Brahmaputra—
...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	..		...	Goálpára
...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	Gauhati
												Bengal—
												Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	3·12	4·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	Midnapur
...	...	17·5	17·5	10	10	...	..	...	...	...	...	Calcutta
												Central—
...	...	...	...	6·25	7·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bardwan
												Orissa—
...	...	5	5	5·62	5·31	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuttack
												Bihár, south—
...	...	5	2·5	7·5	5·62	3·75	...	...	...	...	...	Patna
												Bihár, north—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bhágalpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Muzaffarpur
												United Provinces—
												(a) Agra—
												Eastern—
...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Benares
												Central—
95	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	70	...	...	Cawnpore
...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jhánsi
												Western—
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	60	60	...	...	Meerut
102·5	120	10	...	10	8·75	...	...	...	...	80	70 to 80	Agra
90 and 100	120 and 130	...	...	...	...	...	...	60 and 65	60 and 65	40 and 60	40 and 60	*Submontane, west—* Shahjahánpur
												(b) Oudh—
												Southern—
85	...	2·5	2·5	...	...	...	.	40	40	...	...	Lucknow
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	35	35	Fyzabad

WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF AUGUST—*continued*

DISTRICTS	RICE, UNHUSKED		RICE, HUSKED		WHEAT		FLOUR (WHEAT)		BARLEY		JAWAR	
	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907	1908	1907
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Ajmer	30·78	30·78	...	...	46·61	40	...	...	29·48	25·83	33·85	25·83
Panjab—												
Southern—												
Ferozpur	...	23·12	66·72	40	40	26·72	43·75	33·75	30·78	15·31	...	...
Central—												
Lahore	38·07	34·32	68·85	74·48	36·35	28·65	42·08	32·97	27·6	17·03	26·67	18·8
South-eastern—												
Delhi	36·35	28·59	48·44	53·33	43·23	36·35	47·08	43·33	29·63	23·54	28·59	23·54
Submontane—												
Amritsar	30·78	32·66	59·22	57·13	36·87	27·6	43·23	32·34	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Rawalpindi	38·75	20	90	63·38	40	26·67	50	31·35	29·06	17·76	36·35	15·36
Western—												
Multan	30·78	27·5	53·28	42·03	38·12	32·03	...	...	...	20	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karachi	...	...	52·5	50	46·25	...	...	...	...	28·75	...	23·75
Shikarpur	...	...	64·37	48·75	41·25	29·69	...	...	29·37	20·94	27·97	18·75
Quetta	...	...	...	...	42·5 to 45	30·62 to 33·12	77·5	52·5	36·87	25	34·37	21·87
Bombay—												
Deccan and Karnátak—												
Dharwar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29·74	27·24
Sholapur	...	...	49·22	42·08	50·16	...	...	...	...	...	29·84	21·61
Poona	...	...	57·13	50·36	...	41·77	...	...	...	...	37·6	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—												
Ahmadnagar	...	...	...	48·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	33·96	...
Dhulia	...	...	...	...	...	41·67	...	...	...	...	39·22	...
Gujarat—												
Surat	43·23	...	...	69·74	54·79	43·23	...	...	...	...	39·63	33·85
Ahmadabad	...	...	60	50	41·46	35·52	...	...	29·37	...	30·62	23·54
Central Provinces—*												
Western—												
Nagpur	..	...	42·25	42·25	47	32·25	61·5	37·25	...	...	33·62	29·25
Central—												
Jubbulpore	...	...	47	40	48·5	32	57·12	40	...	...	...	...
Eastern—												
Raipur	...	...	42·5	36	45	30·5	52	33	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Akola	...	...	53	42	49·62	34·5	...	...	...	...	27	22·87
Amraoti	...	...	55·12	41·25	52·12	33·25	55	43	...	...	38·62	21·25
Madras—												
South, central—												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30·8	30·8
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—												
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·5	23·7
Cuddapah	42·3	33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34·8	29·3
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central—												
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, south—												
Madras	35·8	31·1	56·4	53·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	25·5	33·9	56·8	55·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southern—												
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28·2	31·9
Mysore—												
Mysore	29·01	27·75	51·2	50·4	48·98	48·98	64·27	64·27	...	...	25·47	23·5
Bangalore	26	25·86	64	58	48	48	67·76	59·69	...	...	...	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of cleaned rice